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AMERICAN GENERALS SEE BRITISH TROOPS

Corbin, Young and Wood Visit Aldershot as the Guests of General French.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

LONDON, Oct. 15.—Generals Corbin, Young and Wood and their aids-de-camp visited the British camp at Aldershot today as the guests of Gen. French and inspected all the soldiers' quarters and witnessed evolutions.

The visiting generals dined with War Secretary Brodrick this evening to meet Lord Kitchener. Mr. Brodrick's guests to meet Gen. Corbin and his party included Earl Roberts, Lord Lansdowne, the foreign secretary, and other members of the government. The function was a purely social one.

The generals go to Woolwich next Thursday to inspect the arsenal.

PIOUS FUND CASE DECIDED.

Mexico Must Make Annual Payment to the United States.

THE HAGUE, Oct. 14.—The arbitration court in the pious fund case has condemned Mexico to pay the United States $1,420,082.67 in Mexican currency. The decision was unanimous.

Mexico will pay to the United States, February 2, 1903, and every following year for the same date forever, $43,650.99 of the legal currency of Mexico.

DRAKE WINS FORTUNE ON FOUR RACES

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—(Special.)—The World this morning says: John A. Drake, the Chicago millionaire and racetrack plunger, won a large fortune on the result of the first four races at Morris park yesterday. He secured from the ring a sum variously estimated by the bookmakers at from $80,000 to $80,000. It was the largest amount won at a racetrack this season by any one man.

GOTHAM GAMBLING HOUSES RAIDED

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—(Special.)—The Press says this morning: "Commissioner Partridge's oft-repeated promises to deal a deadly blow to the gambling industry of this city were partly fulfilled last night, when raids were made on fine gambling houses in the Tenderloin, and more than 100 prisoners were locked in the West Thirtieth street police station."

MITCHELL AWAITING PROPOSAL

When It Arrives He Promises a Statement of Miners' Position.

MAJORITY SEEM AGAINST OFFER

Miners' President and District Officers to Hold a Council of War.

GOLD BRICK IS FEARED

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 14.—President Mitchell of the miners' union dictated the following statement to the press tonight:

"I fully appreciate with what anxiety the people of our country are awaiting the end of the coal strike. The coal operators have not addressed the miners' union or its officers in making their public statement. It is, therefore, impossible for me to state the attitude of the miners at this time.

"I am now, as I have always been, deeply solicitous for the interests of the public and the welfare of the mine workers who have been on strike for the past five months.

"A formal statement defining our position and intentions will be issued just as soon as we are in possession of the full meaning of the proposition of the operators."

From a thorough canvass of the situation tonight, there is every reason to believe that the new arbitration plan proposed by the presidents of the coal carrying railroads will not be accepted in its present form.

Roosevelt Unduly Limited.

There is a division of opinion among the strikers, but there is no doubt that a majority feel that the offer to have the president of the United States select the arbitration commission along the lines selected by the operators is not fair, and that it unduly limits the president in making up the board.

The miners, it is safe to say, will follow the advice of their national president, in whose judgment they have the utmost confidence. He declines to say how he personally looks upon the proposition.

President Mitchell's attention was called to the fact that most of the information from Washington indicates that the proposition would be accepted; but he stoutly maintained that neither his officers nor the rank and file of the men had done anything to cause such an impression to go out. The district presidents also maintain silence as to their personal opinion on the proposition, except President Fahy, who, after he arrived from Boston today, said:

"The strike cannot be settled without the consent of the men. We are not dealing in gold bricks of any kind, and you can make any deductions from that you want."

Council of War Today.

There will be a conference tomorrow between Mr. Mitchell, the three district presidents and Secretary-Treasurer Wilson, who will arrive here tomorrow. It is fully expected that the sentiment of all the strikers will be known tomorrow and that action will be taken accordingly. There is talk of a convention being called, but there is nothing definite on which to base it.

A great many strikers think the proposition should be accepted and that the miners should trust to President Roosevelt to do the best he can under the conditions laid down by the coal road presidents.

SHENANDOAH, PA., Oct. 14.—The opinion of the strike leaders here is that Mr. Mitchell will not accept the proposition submitted to President Roosevelt by the mine operators. P. J. Sweeney, a prominent leader, said: "The proposition is not fair, and I don't think Mitchell will accept it; and if he does, the mine workers will not."

Miles Dougherty, a member of the national executive board, said: "Anything reasonable that the miners agree on will be satisfactory to me."

"How about recognition of the union?"

"Increase of wages and shorter hours of labor, I think, is good recognition."

EIGHTEENTH LANDS MAN IN GUARD HOUSE

Prowling About Shenandoah Heavily Armed and With Belt Full of Cartridges.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

SHENANDOAH, PA., Oct. 14.—A man supposed to be a coal and iron policeman was arrested by the provost guard of the Eighteenth infantry this evening. He was roughly clad and wore a blue flannel shirt. He was found prowling about the rear of the station of the Philadelphia & Reading depot.

A revolver was found on him, beside a belt full of cartridges. He was taken to the guard house of the Eighteenth and will be examined today.

The First Lithuinn band of Shenandoah, in anticipation of the end of the strike, paraded the town tonight. The band went into the First ward and serenaded a number of countrymen.

Battery B has arranged for a target range at Ashland and will have target practice. The range is about 2,700 yards.

Commission Merchant Dead.

Thomas Fleming Orr, a well-known commission merchant of this city, died last evening at his home, No. 620 Lincoln avenue, in his 73d year.

NOTICE IS SENT TO THE MINERS

Roosevelt Expects to See Mitchell in Washington During the Week.

READY TO APPOINT

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, 605 Fifteenth St., N. W. WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 14.

President Roosevelt has officially informed John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers, of the proposition for an arbitration commission to be appointed by him, made by J. P. Morgan in behalf of the coal operators, and confidently awaits a reply.

Mr. Mitchell is expected to arrive in Washington tomorrow or next day for a conference with the president. It is known here tonight that he is somewhat dissatisfied with what he considers the dictation of the coal operators in the selection. It is hoped, however, that in a conference with the president he can be prevailed on to accept the present conditions.

President Roosevelt has accepted the proposition to appoint the commission, provided the miners are willing. He accepted with the full expectation that the striking miners, as well as the public, would trust to his faithful endeavors to be absolutely fair. The president now considers himself trustee of both sides.

The president, contrary to the reports that reach Washington from the headquarters of the Miners' union, does not consider himself bound by any unusual limitations in the selection of the proposed commission. As to the personnel, he only considers himself limited by the third clause of the proposition, which says that one member of the commission shall be "one of the judges of the United States court of the eastern district of Pennsylvania;" and still abiding by this there are four men from whom he can make selections.

Yesterday's developments resulted in President Roosevelt being flooded with telegrams from all parts of the country, congratulating him upon his patriotism in stepping into the breach.

Two names suggested for membership on the commission of arbitration are Col. Carroll D. Wright, commissioner of labor, and E. W. Parker, statistician of the United States geological survey.

President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor, with whom Mr. Mitchell has been in constant communication, said today:

"In my opinion the proposition made by the operators, at least so far as their designation of who should be invited to go on the commission of arbitration is concerned, is an insult to the president of the United States. I desire that the president should use his discretion in the selection of the personnel of the commission. The entire question of selection and appointment of a commission should be left to the president of the United States. Mr. Mitchell said he would be perfectly satisfied with whomever the president selects."

REQUEST FOR TROOPS HAS BEEN CANCELLED

Evidence at Mt. Carmel That End of Mine Strike Is Near at Hand.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

MT. CARMEL, PA., Oct. 14.—That the end of the strike is near was indicated by the action of the Enterprise Coal Company's superintendent, who recalled a request for a guard from the Sixteenth regiment to protect an effort to resume work tomorrow morning. Col. Hullings had the desired guard under arms when the order was canceled.

The Enterprise company is an independent operator, of which ex-Senator (now mayor) William Connell of Scranton is president, and the sudden change of base is accepted as a recognition of the strike settlement.

An unpleasant incident of the day for the Sixteenth regiment was the removal from Camp Fox, under guard, of Private McKay of Company D. He was found guilty of drawing a knife on a corporal while on provost. He was stripped of his uniform and discharged without honor.

This morning Private Jones of Company K, Greenville, was removed to the state hospital at Ashland, suffering from typhoid fever, contracted before leaving home.

A notice was issued by the union leaders calling on the strikers not to pay any attention to reports of strike settlement, but to accept only the word from President John Mitchell.

MORGAN'S EFFORT FAILS

Through Intermediaries He Tried to Induce Mitchell to End Strike on Promise of Justice.

WILKESBARRE, PA., Oct. 14.—It developed here tonight that Nathan Strauss of New York, with the assistance of J. Pierpont Morgan, has been trying for a few days to end the strike. Mr. Strauss was represented here by A. L. Kinkead, Sylvester Burns and W. L. Wilmer of New York.

Mr. Strauss had assurances from Mr. Morgan that if the men would return to work Mr. Morgan would see that justice will be done to the miners, but he did not care to have anything to do with the union.

The proposition was laid before Mr. Mitchell, who refused it on the ground that he would not advise the men to return to work on the hope that Mr. Morgan would do something for them. The representatives of Mr. Strauss received the final answer today and they gave out the information tonight.

Can Burn Oil or Coal.

CAMDEN, N. J., Oct. 14.—The steamship Massachusetts, of the Atlantic Transport Company, was launched this afternoon at the yards of the New York Shipbuilding Company. The Massachusetts is the first vessel of the Atlantic transport line which will carry the American flag. She is so constructed that she can use coal or oil as fuel.

A PROMINENT PITTSBURGHER WHO STANDS CLOSE TO THE PRESIDENT.

ATTORNEY GENERAL PHILANDER C. KNOX.
He Addressed the Pittsburgh Chamber of Commerce Last Night on the Trusts and the Constitution.

CARNEGIE TALKS OF GLADSTONE

He Delivers Address at Opening of Memorial Library.

FIRST MAN OF RACE

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

London, Oct. 14.—The library at Hawarden, erected as a national memorial to the late William E. Gladstone, cost $59,000, was opened by Earl Spencer today. The building stands on the brow of a hill commanding a view of the Dee, so greatly admired by Mr. Gladstone. It contains the statesman's valuable collection of books. Crowds attended the ceremonies, which commenced with a service in the church, conducted by the Rev. Stephen Gladstone. Among the speakers was Andrew Carnegie.

"Gladstone," said Mr. Carnegie, "for many years was not only the first man in Great Britain, but the first man of the race. The whole world trusted him. I know of no statesman dealing with international affairs who carried into practice so steadily the often discarded truth that righteousness alone exalteth a nation."

Mr. Carnegie then quoted two illustrations of Mr. Gladstone's "conciliatory wisdom," saying:

"First, he agreed to arbitrate the difference with Venezuela, which his successor repudiated. But I believe the most memorable and by far the most beneficent of all his peaceful international triumphs was his appeal to arbitration for the settlement of the Alabama question. From the first to the last of Gladstone's triumphs, none can compare in value to the removal of the prime obstacle to the restoration of cordial feelings of kindred and race, which now so happily exist between the old and new homes of our race."

Mr. Gladstone, the speaker asserted, had thus erected an effectual barrier against any future war between the United States and Great Britain.

He continued: "America hails Gladstone as the founder of assured peaceful arbitration of all international questions between us. Washington, Lincoln and Gladstone were types which brought the peoples of the two countries together in the patriotism of race. Gladstone was a statesman with a conscience and had his patent of nobility from the Almighty God."

BIRMINGHAM MILLS IMPORTING IRON

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—(Special.)—In a special from Birmingham, Ala., the Times says: Mills and foundries in the Birmingham district are now importing iron from England and Germany. Rogers, Brown & Co., iron brokers, have contracted for several cargoes of foreign iron, which will soon begin to arrive at southern ports, chiefly for delivery here.

Vessel Sunk and Ten Men Missing.

ASHTABULA, O., Oct. 14.—The freight steamer C. B. Lockwood sank last night in a storm, 15 miles off this port. Capt. Cassius Saph, his wife, a woman passenger and six members of the crew got into one boat, and, after a wild night in the storm, were rescued near here this morning. Ten other members of the crew got into another boat, which has not been heard from. The lost vessel was owned by the Gilchrists of Cleveland, was loaded with flaxseed and valued at $70,000.

Whaleback Steamer Lost.

SAULT STE. MARIE, MICH., Oct. 14.—Whaleback barge No. 129, owned by the United States Steel Corporation, was sunk by collision with her steamer, the Maunaloa, in the gale on Lake Superior, yesterday afternoon. The crew were all rescued and reached here early today. The whaleback went down in deep water and is a total loss.

THREE OLD MEN DEFEAT THUGS

Though Surprised, They Kill Three of a Band of Six Burglars.

TWO BADLY BEATEN

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Cleveland, O., Oct. 15.—In a secluded farmhouse on a country road two miles from Rochester, Lorain county, a terrible battle was fought at 3 o'clock last night between three-aged men named Meach and six desperate robbers.

Two of the robbers were shot to death, one probably fatally wounded and two of the Meach brothers were badly beaten.

Loren Meach is nearly 80 years old, John about 70 and Jarvis 65. The old men are said to be rich.

About 8 o'clock, while John was in the barn, he was surrounded by three robbers and bound. Going to the house they knocked Jarvis Meach into insensibility by blows on the head.

John Meach worked himself loose from his bonds and securing a shotgun cautiously stole upon the three burglars who were working on the safe. He shot two of them to death and fatally wounded the third man.

The three companions of the men who were watching outside the house, realizing their danger, immediately got away.

The third of the brothers, Loren, is bedridden and could offer no resistence, so he was not molested.

The authorities are scouring the neighborhood and great excitement prevails. The would-be robbers secured no money.

The wounded desperado was taken into custody, but refused to make any statement as to his identity, and there was nothing on his person to tell who he was. The authorities believe the men are from Cleveland.

The outlaws are typical tramps in appearance.

MORE BETTING ODDS ON GOV. ODELL

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—(Special.)—The Sun this morning says: The betting odds offered in Wall street that Gov. Odell will be re-elected advanced yesterday. A bet of $3,000 to $1,000 on Odell was reported to have been made by W. W. Bagley. Some bets of $50 to $20 that Odell will win were made in the Broad street curb market.

Dr. Lorenz Gets an Illinois License.

CHICAGO, Oct. 14.—Dr. Adolf Lorenz, the Austrian surgeon who performed the operation on the child of Ogden Armour, today took out a license to practice his profession in Illinois. The state board of health, hearing that Dr. Lorenz intended to remain here some time and continue his practice, sent a notice, asking him to take out a license. He was not required to do so on account of the Armour operation, as there is no law prohibiting foreign physicians from acting in consultation with licensed practioners.

Reception to Admiral Schley.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 14.—Rear Admiral Schley and Mrs. Schley arrived this afternoon. They were escorted to the Planters hotel, where, after dinner, they were tendered a reception and a drive about the city. They left for Ft. Smith, Ark., tonight.

Morgan's Offer Withdrawn.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—It is announced that J. P. Morgan's recent offer of $25,000 for the Burns manuscripts in the Atheneum library of Liverpool has been withdrawn.

P. C. KNOX TALKS ON TRUSTS AND CONSTITUTION

Chamber of Commerce Hears President Roosevelt's Law Enforcer.

SHERMAN LAW'S LIMITATIONS

Congress' Power Under Common Law to Prevent Trade Restraints.

ALL EXPLAINED BY HIM

Attorney General Philander C. Knox appeared last night before the Pittsburgh chamber of commerce and delivered a speech on the subject uppermost in public discussion at present, the trusts and the Constitution. The speech was delivered in the assembly room of the Hotel Schenley. Afterward Mr. Knox attended a dinner given by W. H. Keech.

The Schenley's assembly room will seat about 900 persons and every seat was filled last evening. Invitations were extended to a number of citizens who are not members of the chamber. It was a gathering of the professional and business men of Pittsburgh, and many members of the so-called trusts made a point of attending to hear what the attorney general, after a season of considerable activity against trusts, had to say regarding what had been done and pertaining to what he intended to do.

Judges Listen Attentively.

Several judges of the local courts and nearly all the judges of the supreme court of the state, which is in session in Pittsburgh, sat well down in the front of the hall, right under the attorney general's eye. They listened attentively to the man who had made arguments before them in some of the most important cases affecting corporations that have come before the courts of Pennsylvania. They paid close attention, but with judicial calm they refrained from applauding some of the points the general audience approved, while the speaker's opinion of the wrong that some corporations, directly and indirectly, commit, and his promise that all illegal acts of the trusts would be punished, could be and were applauded by the assembled judiciary.

The big lobby of the hotel was crowded long before the time for calling the meeting to order. Tradesmen, capitalist, manufacturers, bankers, lawyers, doctors and judges mingled with each other.

On the stage the following members of the board of directors of the chamber of commerce sat: D. P. Black, Robert Pitcairn, William M. Kennedy, J. F. Ashe, M. Rosenbaum, J. A. Henderson, James L. Young, Col. J. M. Schoonmaker and W. H. Keech.

Warm Welcome For Mr. Knox.

Shortly after 8 o'clock Mr. Knox was escorted into the hall and upon the stage by Col. A. J. Logan, president of the chamber. Those on the stage and almost the entire audience, which had gathered by this time, rose to their feet. Mr. Knox bowed in response to the applause and sat down. Col. Logan said:

"It has been the custom of the chamber of commerce to hear from time to time addresses on important subjects. The subject to be discussed tonight is the most important one before the American people. I have the honor to introduce Mr. P. C. Knox, attorney general of the United States."

The reception accorded Mr. Knox when he rose to speak must have been extremely gratifying. The applause was loud and long continued. Every word the speaker uttered was distinctly heard. The audience was not demonstrative, the nature of the speech precluding flights of flowery eloquence; it did not appeal to groundlings, for here was food for thought in all the sentences, and the auditors thoughtfully received the message, which most of them supposed practically came from the president of the United States.

Banqueted After the Speech.

After the meeting Mr. Knox attended a dinner given by W. H. Keech. It was held in a private dining room on the second floor of the hotel. Those present besides the host and the attorney general were A. C. Knox, Col. A. J. Logan, Robert Pitcairn, D. P. Black, William M. Kennedy, A. W. Mellon, James S. Young, H. Kirke Porter, ex-Judge J. H. Reed, George T. Oliver, C. A. Rook, Willis L. King, Murry A. Verner, John B. Jackson, W. L. Abbott and Joseph Wood.

Mr. Knox's speech will be found in full on page 10.

QUAY ENCOURAGED.

He Thinks Settlement of Strike Now Depends Merely Upon Adjustment of Details.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Oct. 14.—(Special)—Senator Quay commented very briefly today on the proposition submitted by the operators to bring about a settlement of the coal strike. He appeared to be much encouraged over the outlook, but declined to express an opinion as to whether the Morgan offer, in its present form, would be acceptable to the miners.

The senator's manner indicated that he believed the ice had been broken and that an agreement now depends upon an adjustment of details.

Republican leaders found much amusement in the assertion of George W. Guthrie, who claimed the Democrats would carry the state by 200,000 majority.

Democrats Fill a Vacancy.

BEDFORD, PA., Oct. 14.—(Special.)—The Democratic conferees of the Forty-sixth senatorial district met at the Waverly hotel tonight and nominated John Calvin Lowry of Somerset for state senator, to fill the vacancy caused by the withdrawal of Gen. William H. Koontz, of Somerset.

ALTERNATE PLAN TO STOP STRIKE

It Is Presented by Manufacturers to the Coal Operators.

MINERS MAY AGREE

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, Oct. 14.—The regular weekly meeting of the coal operators today was preceded by a conference with a committee of the National Association of Manufacturers, and at the conference the salient points of a plan to settle the anthracite coal strike were submitted by the manufacturers. The operators will consider the plan while the mine workers are reaching a conclusion in regard to the proposal of arbitration submitted to President Roosevelt at Washington yesterday.

A member of the manufacturers' committee said he knew the association's plan would be acceptable to Mr. Mitchell. The same member of the committee said the manufacturer's plan would be considered by the operators if the mine workers reject the plan submitted to the president yesterday.

The operators began their meeting immediately after the conference with the manufacturers, and at the close of the meeting President Baer of the Reading said no statement would be given out regarding it.

Plan Informally Discussed.

The members of the manufacturers' committee at the conference were David N. Parry, president of the association; Frank Leake of Philadelphia and Richard Young of this city. Mr. Leake said the proposition of the manufacturers' association had not been formally presented to the operators, but that its salient points had been discussed.

He said that at present the bituminous miners are organized, and that if the anthracite miners became organized on similar lines it was his belief that the price of coal would be permanently advanced, with the result that manufacturers would have to advance the prices of all articles manufactured. He said his association is desirous of having prices remain as they now are.

According to President Parry's secretary, at the meeting between Mr. Mitchell and the representatives of the manufacturers' association at Buffalo last week—and the secretary says they have stenographic notes of the proceedings—Mr. Mitchell agreed to forego the recognition of the union in his demands upon the operators if there is a general advance in wages of 10 per cent.

J. P. Morgan Returns.

While the coal operators' meeting was in progress J. P. Morgan and his partner, Robert Bacon, arrived in the city from Washington, and they went directly to Mr. Morgan's office. Mr. Morgan was as reticent as ever.

President Baer arrived from Philadelphia today.

"Do you consider the proposition submitted to the president in the nature of a recession from the stand taken by the operators?" he was asked.

"I happen to have drawn the proposition myself," Mr. Baer replied, "or, at least, I had a considerable part in preparing it, and I may state that it embodies my opinions and views. Further than that I cannot say anything."

PAYNE GIVES POINT IN COMING MESSAGE

Says President Will Recommend Reduction of Tariff on Some Products.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 14.—Postmaster Henry C. Payne, in an interview, said that the forthcoming annual message of President Roosevelt to congress probably will recommend that a permanent tariff commission be appointed.

"The president probably will favor a reduction of import duties upon products which no longer need protection," said Mr. Payne. "He is also inclined to favor the creation of a permanent tariff commission, which at all times can receive testimony, subject to expert consideration, concerning the varying interests of production and trade, submitting their reports and recommendations to congress as other departments of the national government. This will insure the thorough and careful compilation of all information accessible, and will save to congressional committee a vast amount of labor."

"Since the adjournment of congress overwhelming manifestations that the people favor reciprocity with Cuba indicate that the opposition to that measure has faded away and that congress at an early day will redeem the pledge made by President McKinley for better trade relations with Cuba."

COUNTER-OFFER COMING.

So Says Gov. Odell After Seeing Representatives of Both Parties to the Struggle.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—At the office of a friend today, Gov. Odell communicated his views on the prospect of arbitration of the coal strike to representatives of both sides of the controversy, and afterward said:

"I find the situation to be that the operators have made a proposition, and that a counter proposition will come from the strikers' side. When the two propositions are brought together, I see no obstacle to a speedy resumption of work."

MORGAN GIVES NOTHING TO CAMPAIGN FUND

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—(Special.)—J. Pierpont Morgan has declined to give a dollar this year to the campaign fund of the Republican state committee. This omission has caused much comment, because it is said to be the first time in many years that Mr. Morgan has failed to send a generous check to help defray the expenses of the campaign.

THIEVES ARE TO WORK FOR THE MACHINE

The Protected North Side Grafters Expected to Vote Right.

MANY ARE NOW IN ALLEGHENY

Ninth Ward Speakeasy Proprietors Are Enjoying Protection.

BOSSES BADLY SCARED

The thieves who find protection in Allegheny are all ardent supporters of the machine. They are registered and have been furnished with tax receipts, and on November 4 they are expected to be useful in the river front wards.

These burglars, thugs and ex-convicts were very useful in accomplishing the defeat of William H. Andrews and Charles W. Simon in the First district in the spring of 1900. They worked as repeaters and "roughed" polling places. Their labor this fall will be of a similar nature. The Citizens have the names of the whole crowd, and an effort will be made to land them all in jail or run them out of the city before election day. The hope of the machine is to roll up a big majority in the river front wards as an offset to the large Citizens majority in Pittsburgh. The plans of the ringsters are pretty well known by the Citizens managers, and measures have been taken to prevent the frauds which have been planned.

Twenty-Seven in Federal Street.

It would be useless for the North Side police department to attempt to deny that Allegheny is the home of ex-convicts who prey upon the surrounding country. Saturday afternoon one of the guards at the penitentiary, in company with a prominent Citizens party leader, walked down Federal street. In a stroll of several blocks the prison employe pointed out 27 ex-convicts who are not living by working.

The Citizens managers know where all of the thieves are registered and are familiar with the names that they will use on election day. They are also familiar with the padded registry lists throughout the river front territory. It is in these lodging house districts that the machine hopes to roll up a big majority for the "Muddy Water" party. There have been reports that in one election precinct in the lower part of the city 250 fraudulent names have been added to the registry list. If this is true, it is one of the boldest games ever attempted in the county. An investigation is being made, and if there has been padding the courts will be asked to purge the list.

Ninth Ward Speakeasies.

In the Ninth ward, Allegheny, the speakeasy proprietor is expected to swing the ward for the machine. On the authority of an alderman in another part of the city, it is said that 45 or 50 Democrats are conducting protected speakeasies in the Ninth ward. They are free from arrest, but they must hustle for the machine.

A few days ago a Democrat who is not a machine enthusiast, attempted to operate a speakeasy and give his patrons anti-machine talks. He was immediately arrested and is now under heavy bail for appearance at court. Not content with one information, a wholesaler was induced to bring an additional charge against the man who wanted to conduct an anti-machine speakeasy.

The North Side bosses are scared. S. C. Grier is the only one in the crowd who is a politician, and it is said that he is not losing any sleep this year to save the city hall crowd. The last time the ring over there had a hard fight on its hands, William Flinn was appealed to. He really managed the fight against Andrews and Simons, and pulled Murphy and his crowd out of the hole.

LABOR LEADERS SUSPICIOUS.

In New York City They Have No Faith in Proposed Commission.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—(Special.)—Representatives of local labor organizations expressed their views today of the operators' proposition for settlement of the coal strike. First, they say, the proposition upon its face does not meet the situation with fairness; second, they are suspicious of the motives that underlie the apparently equitable offer.

Local labor leaders emphasize two points against the proposition: It contains no recognition of the miners' union, and it contemplates selection of the arbitration body from a class of men not only unacquainted with the situation, but naturally unsympathetic with the interests of the miners. Labor leaders here suspect a hidden design.

OPPOSED BY RATCHFORD.

Man Who Led the Great Bituminous Strike of 1897 Says the Operators' Offer Is a Humbug.

COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 14.—(Special.)—M. D. Ratchford, state labor commissioner, who several years was national president of the United Mine Workers and successfully conducted the great bituminous strike of 1897, is decidedly opposed to the terms offered by the anthracite operators.

Mr. Ratchford said: "The presidents of the anthracite coal-carrying railroads and coal operators have placed themselves in an indefensible position before the country and have snubbed and injured the president of the United States. Their qualified proposition now to accept such arbitration, as is reported in today's papers, is a sheer humbug and has certainly added gross insult to the injury already done. If the president of the United States cannot be trusted to select an arbitration board it is a commentary upon his honor and his judgment."

SAYS BROTHER IS INNOCENT

Sister of Charles Cawley Declares That Her Brother Is of Sound Mind.

THE MYSTERY DEEPENS

Late Developments in Homestead Tragedy Lead Some to Believe the Man Under Arrest Did Not Commit the Deed.

"My brother Charlie is not insane and he did not murder my mother, brother and sisters."

Such was the emphatic statement made yesterday afternoon by Mamie Cawley, the 19-year-old sister of the Homestead boy who is charged with having butchered the members of his family in Homestead last Friday morning. The girl had just visited her brother's cell and made the astonishing statement to those about her in the corridor of the jail.

"My brother behind those bars is as innocent as my other brother, little Raymond, who is in his grave," continued the girl, with the most intense earnestness. "He was devoted to my mother, he adored my dead sister—he could not—he did not—kill them. He talked to me in the manner of any sane person. He is dazed by those awful scenes and his mind is blank after seeing the slaughter in our house. He is not guilty of shedding any one's blood."

Warden Lewis Is Puzzled.

The distracted girl left the prison and returned to her friends in Homestead. On the night of the killing she was absent from home and her view of the situation was apparently formed after her conversation with her brother in jail.

Mamie Cawley's declaration is borne out to some extent by Warden Lewis, and the county authorities doubtless will begin a thorough investigation of the case.

"No prisoner in the jail seems to be possessed of a sounder mind," said the warden last night. "He talks in a rational manner except on matters connected with the murder. He seems to have been dazed by the fate of his family, but in other respects I should judge him to be sane."

The actions of the elder brother, James, has attracted much attention by the people of Homestead. Since the burial of his mother, sistern and little brother, he has seemed to be constantly on the alert. He sleeps but little. On Monday night he approached Policeman John J. Cavanaugh in Homestead. The boy was quivering with terror.

James Terror-Stricken.

"Come down to our house," he cried. "Come this very moment. A crowd of men are down there and are trying to break in. Hurry, hurry, hurry."

The policeman knew that nothing was wrong, and, suspecing the boy's hallucinations, quietly told him not to be alarmed, but to go home and try to sleep. His advice was of little avail. The sister, Mamie, is also said to have labored under the same excited state of mind. It developed last night that a piece of rope, a stout window cord, was found in Charlie's pocket when he was locked up in the police station.

Even more startling developments would not be entirely surprising to the people of Homestead who live in the neighborhood of the Cawley home in Second avenue. By some it is said that attempts were made by members of the family to discourage Charlie in his experiments on his patents in order to get him to secure employment and assist his other brothers in the support of the household. At the jail last night Charlie seemed to be in his normal mood and was not greatly disturbed by his sister's visit.

SUSPECTED OF PART IN FATAL CAROUSAL

Edward Burk Arrested as Supposed Party to Beating That Killed Martin.

Edward Burk, supposed to have been implicated in a fight at Williamsburg, which resulted in the death of Cawley Martin, is held at Chicago and will be brought here. A telegram to Detective Superintendent Demmell last night stated that a man named Edward Burk was under arrest at Chicago and is supposed to be wanted here for murder. It is said the man is willing to come here without requisition papers.

Detective George H. Waggoner left on an early train this morning to bring the prisoner here. Burk is thought to have been implicated in the murder of Cawley Martin, who was beaten to death at Williamsburg on September 2. The crowd was having a Bohemian time over a barrel of beer, which developed into a murderous carousal. Martin and Joseph Riley were found the next day badly beaten, and Martin died later from his injuries. Detectives Waggoner and Kelly arrested almost every man in the crowd, and 12 of them were held by the coroner to answer for the murder. Burk is a millworker, and lived in the Twenty-fourth ward.

Favor River Improvement.

WELLSVILLE, O., Oct. 14.—(Special.)—City hall was filled last night with enthusiastic citizens interested in river improvement. James Kennedy of Youngstown, congressional candidate, was the principal speaker. He pledged his support to the movement. The meeting was presided over by Gen. J. W. Reilly of Wellsville. Other speakers were Judge Wells, Lisbon; C. B. Rothwell, East Palestine; Judge F. M. Smith, Dr. B. R. Parke, Frank Wells and others.

Rescued a Stranger.

Inspector Frederick Will while on his way home to dinner at noon yesterday, was attracted by a crowd at Penn avenue and Third street. He got off the car and found Andrew Rice of the South Side robbing William Peters, a Louisville man. Rice had Peters by the throat and had already taken $5 from his pocket while the crowd looked on. The inspector sent both men to Central station.

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Little Gussie Zuckerman, only 15 years of age, played marvelously on the great Steinway grand at New Exposition last night. She appears afternoon and evening today.

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POPULAR MEETINGS WILL BE A FEATURE

Interesting Programs Prepared in Connection With Gathering of Synod of Penna.

A series of popular meetings will be a feature of this year's session of the Pennsylvania synod of the Presbyterian church, which convenes this evening in the First church, Allegheny. The Rev. Thomas Beeber, D. D., of Norristown will preach the opening sermon at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning. The election of a moderator will likely bring forth a warm contest. The Rev. George Chambers of Harrisburg, a member of the synodical committee, is mentioned in connection with the office, while the Rev. Dr. W. L. McEwan of Pittsburgh, may get the honor.

Foreign missions will be the topic that will be presented at the first popular meeting this evening. The address of the evening will be made by the Rev. C. W. Mateer, D. D., who was one of the missionaries in Peking during the famous seige.

Three meetings will be held on Friday celebrating the centennial of the Western Foreign Missionary society. The first will begin at 9 o'clock in the morning and is to be a devotional service. An address on the "General Historical Review," will be made by the Rev. W. H. Roberts of New York, the missionary secretary, and one on the "Christian Education," by the Rev. W. S. Plumer Bryan, D. D.

At the afternoon session addresses will be made by the Rev. Arthur Brown, D. D., on "Foreign Missions," and by the Rev. George S. Chambers, D. D., on "The Relationship and Claims of Home Missions." The Rev. Henry T. McClelland of the Bellefield church, Pittsburgh, will speak on "Missions for Freedmen." Fomer Gov. James A. Beaver will preside at the evening meeting.

The synodical sustentation and home mission committee of the Presbyterian church met in the First church, Allegheny, yesterday. It will remain in session until the synod convenes tomorrow. The Rev. John S. McIntosh, who has been chairman for a number of years, presided. His resignation has been received and it is likely a successor will be chosen today. The report of the Rev. J. M. Jurkin, secretary, was read.

HIS FAITHFULNESS COST MAN HIS LIFE

Thomas A. Nelson Was Instantly Killed by Falling Down Elevator Shaft.

Because he remained at his post of duty beyond his regular hours of employment, Thomas A. Nelson, aged 45 years, superintendent of the United Presbyterian Publication building in Ninth street, last night met instant death by falling 120 feet down the elevator shaft.

Nelson remained to run the elevator for a meeting of the Bank Clerks' association, held on the top floor.

A few minutes before 8 o'clock Nelson ran the elevator to the ninth floor. When he started to descend the elevator refused to move. He went to the eighth floor to release the cage and fell to the bottom of the shaft. His back was broken and his neck dislocated by the fall. The body was removed to the morgue.

Nelson resided in West Etna and leaves a wife, but had no children. He had been employed in the building over four years.

Alleged Pension Fraud In Allegheny.

MUNCIE, IND., Oct. 14.—(Special.)—John H. Readman, a civil war veteran, was brought into the United States commissioner's court here today on the charge of attempting to illegally obtain a pension. He will be taken to Pittsburgh for trial, the alleged crime having been committed at Allegheny.

"Eternal City" Denounced.

ROME, Oct. 14.—The organ of the vatican, the Osservatore Romano, publishes a violently worded article today on Hall Caine's drama, "The Eternal City," and says: "Although Mr. Caine's dirty words cannot touch the dignity of the head of the church, they must not pass without protest."

Minister Bowen Wants Warships.

CARACAS, VENEZUELA, Oct. 14.—(Copyright Cable.)—United States Minister Bowen has cabled to Washington a request that warships be sent to La Guayra. The situation is critical.

DIED.

ORR—On Tuesday, October 14, 1902, at 9 p. m., at his residence, No. 620 Lincoln avenue, East End, THOMAS FLEMING ORR, in his 73d year.

Notice of funeral later.

Great excitement! Pittsburghers are wondering how the New Exposition can offer Damrosch, Luckstone and Zuckerman for a paltry 25-cent admission fee.

WARM WELCOME TO COKE CENTER

Democratic Connellsville Enthusiastically Greets Pennypacker.

CHILLING WINDS NO BAR

Candidates Address a Great Throng from a Hotel Balcony. Senator Brown Sees Last Opposition Hope Going.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Connellsville, Pa., Oct. 14.—Notwithstanding the great meeting in Uniontown last night, and the fact that this is a Democratic town, a great crowd of Fayette county voters gathered tonight in and around the Smith house to shake hands with ex-Judge Pennypacker and ex-Senator William M. Brown, and listen to brief addresses from the balcony of the hotel. The meeting tonight vied with that in Republican Uniontown, both in numbers and in enthusiasm, while the thermometer was playing down in the forties.

The enthusiasm has satisfied the Republican managers that Fayette county probably will give an increased majority for the Republican ticket.

Before leaving Uniontown this morning Judge Pennypacker and Senator Brown, with the campaign orators, Shaffer and Flood, were driven over the mountains and shown points of historical interest, including Braddock's trail and the remains of Washington's Fort Necessity.

Met Many Leading Republicans.

On arriving at Connellsville this afternoon the gubernatorial party was escorted to the Smith house by a reception committee consisting of Col. J. M. Reid, J. B. Kurtz, Dr. G. W. Newcomer, J. M. Dushane, H. M. Kerr, Charles Davidson, H. M. Kephart and J. R. Balsley. There was a crowd at the hotel and all the afternoon Pennypacker and Brown were kept busy shaking hands with the stalwart Republicans of Connellsville, among whom were such well-known men as Dr. H. F. Atkinson, H. S. Speer, J. T. Johnson, A. J. Brown, J. C. Begley, Alexander McBeth, W. S. Yard, George W. McCartney, J. B. Porter, George W. Campbell and Edward N. Stahl.

In the evening there was a big street parade. Col. B. F. Boyts presided over the informal meeting which gathered in the street and which was addressed from the balcony of the hotel. Two hundred prominent citizens of the county acted as vice presidents. The great audience heartily applauded the telling hits made by Pennypacker, Brown, ex-District Attorney W. I. Shaffer of Delaware county and Gen. Nelson Arden Flood of Crawford county. Speaking of the coal strike, Mr. Brown said:

Democrats' Last Argument Going.

"The only hope of the Democrats for success is to take advantage of the disaster which has been overhanging this country. The dark clouds have been hanging over us for four months, but I am happy to say tonight that light is at last breaking upon the situation, and that we hope that inside of four days the struggle which has been going on will be a thing of the past. When it is past, the last hope of the Democrats for success in this campaign will be gone.

"The Republican party has always been the friend of the laboring man. It was his friend away back in 1861; it is his friend now, and will be his friend as long as the grand old party exists. This is so because the principles upon which the party is based are those which have made this entire state and country great and prosperous."

Messrs. Shaffer and Flood also showed the necessity for keeping Pennsylvania where it belongs—at the head of the column of Republican states.

At the conclusion of the addresses there were three hearty cheers for Judge Pennypacker and the whole Republican ticket. The candidates will meet the voters of Somerset tomorrow night.

Pope to Receive Guidi.

ROME, Oct. 14.—The pope will receive Archbishop Guidi, apostolic delegate in the Philippines, in farewell audience tomorrow. The archbishop will start the same evening for Marseilles to embark for the Philippines.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Port.	Arrived.	Departed.
New York	Grosser Kurfurst	
New York		Kaiserin Maria Theresa
New York	Kroonprins Wilhelm	
Moville	Ethiopia	
Rotterdam	Noordam	
Antwerp	Finland	
Bremen	Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse	
Glasgow	Mongolian	
Lizard	Philadelphia	

TROOPS OUT TWICE; NO WORKERS APPEAR

Strenuous Day in Camp of Fourteenth Regiment at Shamokin.

BY WILLIAM L. ROSS,
Staff Correspondent.

MAHANOY CITY, PA., Oct. 14.—This was the busiest day in the Fourteenth regiment since Camp Glenn was started. Twice service was performed for the operators, a dress parade was held in the afternoon, a large number of men who failed to join the regiment in Pittsburgh arrived, while outside the camp two fatalities occurred to attract interest.

The Second battalion again paraded downtown streets to protect miners who might wish to return to work, but, as before, none appeared. In the afternoon the Third battalion guarded the removal of 11 cars of washery coal from the North Mahanoy and six from the Suffolk collieries.

There are indications tonight that the operators believe the end of the strike is be near. A large number of empty coal gondolas is being stored in the yards of the coal companies, ready for use as soon as the strikers return to work. There are 4,000 cars ready.

Restrictions at the Fourteenth's camp are being made greater instead of less. The strictest military rules are being enforced. There have been many visitors at the camp, but today these were all excluded. All officers were forced to remain inside the guard lines. Tonight three companies, A, K and F, under Captains Cookston, Smith and McKee, with Lieut. Col. Corbet as provost marshal, patrol the streets of the city looking for stragglers. They are finding few.

Maj. W. McC. Johnston, regimental surgeon and warden of the Western penitentiary, arrived this afternoon with 20 men who failed to join the regiment when leaving Pittsburgh a week ago.

An accident resulting indirectly from the strike occurred this afternoon at the West End of the city. Mrs. Sophia White, wife of a striker, was gathering coal from a mine breach, when a fall of slate and coal crushed her to death.

A striking breaker boy, George Olitschney, was fatally injured while attempting to board a freight train.

German Steel Reduced.

BERLIN, Oct. 14.—The rolled steel syndicate today reduced prices in Germany by $1 25 a ton, probably as a concession to public opinion, as there has been much agitation recently over the high domestic and low export prices.

THE DAY'S HAPPENINGS.

—Samuel Mike of Fleming park was struck by a train and killed last night at Brightwood station, on the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad.

—A gas stove in the dining room of Mrs. C. Fester, No. 114 Federal street, Allegheny, set fire to the furniture yesterday morning and did damage to the extent of $100.

—John Downey, aged 65, of McKees Rocks, fell downstairs early yesterday morning and broke three ribs. It is feared that, owing to his advanced age, the fall will prove fatal.

—Solon Thompson, a young man, accidentally shot himself through the right hand at his home, No. 1129 Rush street, Allegheny, yesterday. He was taken to the Allegheny General hospital.

—The police were asked last night to make inquiry for Martin Dougherty, 11 years old, of East Pittsburgh, who has been missing since September 22, and Katie McKelvy, 18 years old, of No. 55 Acorn street, who has been missing for two days.

—A team of horses owned by the American Glue Company of Allegheny ran away yesterday afternoon in Forty-second street on to the Allegheny Valley railroad tracks. A northbound passenger train struck both horses, killing one instantly and badly injuring the other.

—M. W. Carpenter, a driver of No. 503 Rebecca street, Allegheny, yesterday afternoon found the body of Salvatore Magistro, who was drowned in the Monongahela river at the south end of the Panhandle bridge last Friday. Magistro was 37 years old, married and lived at No. 2633 Mulberry alley.

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CAN'T GET AWAY FROM OLD SPEECH

Pattison's Friends Weary With His Repetition of Even Same Gestures.

EFFORTS AT VARIATION

They Merely Bear Fruit in Padding With Patriotic Rhapsodies Some Meetings in Quaker City's Tenderloin Precincts.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Public Ledger Building,
PHILADELPHIA, PA., Oct. 14.

Pattison appeared again in Philadelphia tonight and delivered his time-worn speech in the same old way to a small gathering of voters.

The only new feature was an alleged discovery of the issue of bogus poll tax receipts, which the Democratic candidate for a third term charged generally against the Republican organization "upon information and belief." The only crime which Pattison pointed out was that the thing was done "in the shadow of Liberty's birthplace." He worked Lincoln's epigram about "fooling the people" oftener than the good old rail-splitter ever dared. He

Apparently "the fires of loyalty" went out over night for the enthusiastic candidate for governor rekindled them tonight. When he did so, one of his hearers asked: "What's that—a substitute for coal?"

The Democratic managers have been much concerned by Pattison's habit of repeating night after night, in season and out of season, not only his speech, but its very phrases and gestures. He has been urged to vary it—to switch the various points in it. He made an effort to do so tonight, but the only result was a general padding with patriotic adjectives.

Guthrie, who has been imported to work up enthusiasm beyond the reach of the ex-governor, addressed two meetings, telling the audiences what large gatherings had been held in the country. He recalled the fact that there was a campaign on, and that an election would be held on November 4. He remined his hearers that state officers would be elected, and modestly informed that he was a candidate for second place. He said he was for the "sovereign people," and insisted that the ballot box is the battlefield where meet the opposing forces for and against good government.

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Children's Day Collections of Baptist Bible Schools Were $2,025 43.

At the fall meeting of the Pittsburgh Baptist Bible School association yesterday in the Sharpsburg Baptist church, 43 schools were represented by 101 delegates. A praise service was conducted by S. C. Brittain.

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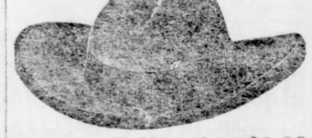

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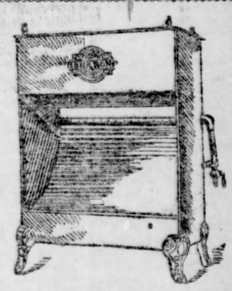

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WE ARE DISPLAYING
THIS WEEK something entirely new in the line of Slippers in satin and lace effects. Can be had in any shade or style. Are entirely different from anything ever shown and they cannot be copied in cheap, inferior goods. You should not miss seeing this display. They are a work of art.
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Machine Congressional Candidates Give Orders to Machine Pay-Roll Men.

The machine workers of the Fourteenth and Thirty-first wards yesterday received their "instructions." The orders were given in the office of Director Leslie by James F. Burke and Dr. A. J. Barchfeld, congressional candidates. The rules laid down were explicit and soul-satisfying. Judging by the appearance of the men as they filed out of the office.

The conference lasted nearly all afternoon. Policemen, firemen and other trusted minions of the machine in the two wards gathered at the Safety building. The meeting began with a handshaking ceremony directed by Barchfeld.

The policemen and others were told that their work in the wards was just as important as his achievements would be in congress—providing he should be elected. Suggestions were asked for and received with thanks. The opinions of some, the candidates said, would be referred to the city committee.

Burke took the floor and reminded his hearers that he was a young man, and outlined a strenuous plan by which, he hoped, the ward workers would elect him. Barchfeld declared that he was the only candidate the South Side had ever had and mapped out an equally strenuous line of work for his ward workers. W. W. Nisbet was pointed out as one of the men to be particularly watchful for in the Thirty-first ward.

WILLING TO DO JURY DUTY.

Centre County Citizens Desire to Assist in Improving Jury System.

Judge Evans, who is in charge of the filling of the jury wheel for next year, is of the opinion that there are some wonderful men in Centre county. Yesterday he received a letter from that county, signed by a man who announced that he was "a citizen." The "citizen" enclosed the names of six other "citizens," residents of Centre county, "competent to serve as jurors in Allegheny county."

The answers to the circulars sent out by Judge Evans are coming in rapidly, and next year's list of jurors will probably be without precedent in this county. Judge Evans has been the recipient of several letters in which the writers congratulate the judge upon his effort to improve the jury system, and then add, "please find my name enclosed." All voluntary applications will be turned down, it is said.

BILL OF LADING FORGED.

Two Men Said to Have Mulcted Minneapolis Banks of $40,000.

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 14.—Losses aggregating $40,000 are believed to have been sustained by Minneapolis banks through the operations of Edwin T. Blew and Thomas Armstrong, who were arrested today on charges of forgery. They have been posing as mill feed brokers and have negotiated drafts on far off customers, bills of lading accompanying the drafts.

It is charged that these bills of lading have been forged, and, in at least one case, the men have admitted it.

An Absolutely Novel Compound
GORHAM SILVER POLISH
Has taken years of effort to perfect
Is excelled by no other in the world
All responsible jewelers keep it 25 cents a package

JOSEPH HORNE CO.

$5,000 in Gold for Opinions from Women on Queen Quality Shoes.

It is pretty generally known we are the sole agents for this celebrated shoe in the greater city.

To add spice to the enthusiasm over the finest $3 woman's shoe in the world, the manufacturers have originated a contest of opinions, and offer

$5,000 to One Hundred Women

who best tell why Queen Quality is superior to all other shoes sold for a similar price.

This literary contest, or rather the subject matter, is to be under three different headings. You are to give your best judgment on

1st.—"That Comfortable Feeling" of a "Queen Quality" Shoe.
(Showing where and how they fit better than any other shoe, which is the cause of that comfortable feeling.)

2nd.—"The Satisfying Qualities" of a "Queen Quality" Shoe.
(Showing why women who have once tried "Queen Quality" always wear them afterwards.)

3d.—The Exclusive "Styles and Individuality" of a "Queen Quality" Shoe.
(Showing why "Queen Quality" is the recognized leader of Shoe Fashions.)

If we are permitted the suggestion we should say the safest rule in writing is to express yourself just as you talk. Thousands of people in ordinary conversation say the brightest kind of things, but they seem to go astray when undertaking to put their sayings on paper. It is the easiest thing in the world—simply write as you talk.

Conditions Governing the Competition.

In order to compete it will be necessary to procure a blank from us and your opinion of the Queen Quality Shoe must be written on that blank. Above all it must be remembered that no special literary ability is required to enter this contest. Simply give your ideas in a clear, concise way and you stand to win some one of the following prizes:

First Prize, One Thousand Dollars.

2d Prize		$500
3d Prize		400
4th Prize		300
5th Prize		200
6th to 10th	(5 Prizes) each	100
11th to 20th	(10 Prizes) "	75
21st to 30th	(10 Prizes) "	50
31st to 40th	(10 Prizes) "	25
41st to 50th	(10 Prizes) "	20
51st to 60th	(10 Prizes) "	15
61st to 70th	(10 Prizes) "	10
71st to 100th	(30 Prizes)	5

Your article must not contain over 200 words. You may write on one or more of the points of superiority. Simply state your own ideas of what are the best reasons. Your experience may induce others to buy. Contest open from October 1 to December 25, 1902. All articles must be received by January 1, 1903. The articles will be judged and prizes awarded by a committee of prominent publishers about January 1, 1903, and the names of the winners published in the March Magazines. Address all competitive articles to Queen Quality Prize competition, care of *Thomas G. Plant Co., Boston.*

Queen Quality Variety as We Show It.

Taking boots and oxfords together, there are some sixty-six different styles in our shoe department of the second floor. It is the most comfortable and graceful shoe ever invented for women, and that it is altogether admirable is attested by thousands of women in greater Pittsburg who will wear no other shoe.

There are two or three styles of Queen Quality Shoes for which $3.50 is charged, because they represent extra workmanship, but in the main the price is $3.00 a pair. Some styles that are very popular are

Enameled double sole Lace Boots, a new shape. Something very stylish for the street. $3.

A shoe of dongola kid, which is lined with leather; stoutest of soles. Especially constructed to keep the feet warm.

A wax calf Lace Boot with a plain toe. The very height of fashion. $3.

Patent Ideal Kid Boots with a light welt sole and Louis XV. heel. A handsome boot. $3.50.

Dainty dress boot with a very light sole, dull kid top and Louis XV. heel. $3.50.

Queen Quality Once Worn Always Worn.

PENN AND FIFTH.

JOSEPH HORNE CO.

Weather—Fair. Wednesday, October 15, 1

The interesting portion of the Store today—interesting to women—is the instructive exhibit of

AUTUMN MILLINERY.

It is the second day of our general opening. It is a great millinery show of the most admirable character.

Wraps for the Colde Weather.

Suddenly, yesterday the weather jumped to the cold side—fair warning to see about your jacket or coat.

And a fair hint that the time is here to buy furs.

Of wraps of every kind from the smart little warm jacket to the full length garment, we never were so well prepared to meet the diversified tastes of the great and growing clientele. Every fashionable wrap that Fashion says is correct; every fashionable cloth that she has consented to approve of, and a price range that will accommodate itself to the idea of each individual purchaser.

A new home has been given Furs on the second floor—more to their requirements in every way. The finest furs are there—from the Royal Crown Sables, almost as precious as gems, down to the sightly pieces of the well-known marten. You can readily understand what a vast fur range it is.

Without troubling you to read up on prices this morning, we simply ask you to come and see our display of wraps and furs, ask the price of this or that garment, and then think if it would be wise to undertake to duplicate either quailty or price.

Those Irish Point and Brussels Point Lace Curtains for Only $4.00 the Pair.

You fully understood when you came for these Monday and yesterday that you were buying $6, $7, $8, $10 and $12 Curtains, and that there were only one, two and three pairs to a pattern.

Now we must tell you that you have reduced the importation down to single pairs only.

If there is any housewife that can make use of a single pair of these fine Curtains she has the greatest curtain bargain in her hand that ever went out of this house.

A lot our buyer picked up in Switzerland while on a buying trip the past Summer.

The Very Fine New and Exceedingly Pretty Velvet Shirtwaist Suits. A Novelty.

First told of these Shirtwaist Suits last week. To tell of them was but to have your instant attention. They are very smart—as you would have them; they are very handsome—as you would have them.

Inexpensive—considering the work put upon them.

$15. Contrasting pin dots over grounds of blue, black, green and brown. Waist made with four clusters of tucks down front, finished with stitched belt and turn-over collar. Skirt made with 7-gore flare, with two clusters of tucks down front.

$18. Another style in this same range of colors associated with the contrasting pin dots, but in this style the seams are piped with plaid.

$25. These are handsome Shirtwaist Suits of just plain blue and plain black velvet.

In a shirtwaist suit of Black Silk Taffeta we have something very special—suits that sold for $25, at the remarkable price of $16.50.

Flannels of Every Good Kind in Our Large Flannel Department, Basement.

"Viyella" Flannel emphasized:

"VIYELLA" being guaranteed by the manufacturers to be unshrinkable, and so guaranteed by us, is largely used for ladies', children's and men's wear, on account of its washing qualities.

"VIYELLA" is also largely used for ladies' shirtwaists, dressing gowns and golf and tennis suits.

This label is stamped on every 5 yards of each piece:

DOES NOT SHRINK "VIYELLA" (Regd.) For Frocks, Knickerbockers, Night Dresses, Day Shirts, Pajamas, etc.

"VIYELLA" can be obtained in the latest designs and color combinations for 1902, for this vicinity, only at our Flannel Department in the Basement.

$1.00 a yard.

And for all other kinds of good flannels the department is full of lines that are exceptionally complete.

Just received some very beautiful silk and wool crepe Flannel for shirtwaists, $1.25 a yard.

Fancy woven Striped Flannel Waistings in the best colorings, 45c, 50c, 60c and 75c a yard.

Plain French Flannels—popular colorings of the day—50c and 65c a yard.

Fancy printed French Flannels, for shirtwaists and kimonas, 50c, 60c and 70c a yard.

Fancy woven Scotch Flannel Waistings, the unshrinkable sort, in every pretty plain stripe, fancy jacquard stripe and bright Roman stripe, 25c, 37½c and 50c a yard.

Finest Saxony Flannels for shirtwaists—white grounds with pink, blue, red and black line stripes, also Roman and Scotch Clan stripes, at $1 a yard.

1,500 new Silk Embroidered Waist patterns—prices ranging from $1.50 to $6.50 a pattern.

Over 200 styles Silk Embroidered Skirting Flannels, 50c to $5 a yard.

White Flannels for ladies' and children's underwear—all weights and qualities—from 20c a yard up to $1.25.

Flannelettes for ladies' and children's underwear, and for warm nightgowns, 6¼c, 8c, 10c, 12½c, 15c a yard.

Some very fine Imported English Flannelettes, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c a yard.

Fancy printed Flannelettes for shirtwaists, kimonas, wrappers and children's house dresses, 10c, 12½c, 15c a yard.

Blankets and Comforts for the Cold Weather That is Now Here to Stay.

There is no rule so good as the rule of anticipation. The person who anticipates any important thing that is to occur is the sensible person every time.

We anticipate the public's wants months ahead. We were so sure there would be a great demand for good Blankets and Comforts this season that we laid in an enormous stock. In the remarkable selling of the past few weeks our judgment was verified.

The weather is here for Blankets and Comforts. Many, with an eye to the future, have provided; many yet have to buy.

This big department of the Basement is simply running over with the choicest goods the market produces—the excellent medium goods to the finest woven.

Come and make your selections and be ready for the real cold when it comes.

Some 5,000 pairs of Blankets ranging in price from $2.50 a pair up to $20. If you know what a Blanket is so much the better. But if you can't tell wool from cotton, or nothing about the mixtures used these days, don't let that concern you. We'll tell you all about each single pair of Blankets you examine—if all wool, if part cotton. And our word will be your guarantee. But we want to emphasize this, and to make it stronger it must go in capitals: THERE ARE NO BLANKETS ANYWHERE IN THE GREATER CITY, EQUAL IN QUALITY, FOR THE PRICE WE SELL THEM.

About any kind of a Comfort that one cares to buy—you'll see by reading further. Cotton Comforts, $1.25, $1.75, $2, $2.50, $3, $3.50, $4 and $4.50 each.

Wool Filled Comforts—and, by the way, many people have come to look upon them as the best—are here for $3.50 up to $40. Don't think any of the odor of wool is retained. By a chemical process that is cleared.

Down Comforts—very soft, very light in weight, yet withal delightfully warm—are here in a range of prices from $5 to $60.

Two New Dress Skirts That Have Joined Our Large and Unparalleled Variety.

One of silk, the other of cheviot—both welcome additions to the separate skirt family.

At $10—Black Dress Skirts of cheviot and broadcloth; box pleats and side pleats; finished with trimmings of taffeta. Both kinds are lined with excellent silkoline.

At $25—New Silk Dress Skirts—taffeta and peau de soie. Made with two silk flounces, each flounce having an insertion of faggoting at bottom, relieved on either side by half-inch silk bands. The whole made over a fine silk drop.

When a Man Buys the Joseph Horne Company's Dependable Clothing

he doesn't have to worry about the wear of the suit or overcoat—he knows what's inside of it. Suits, $10 to $35. Overcoats, $10 to $60.

Fall and Winter Shirt Waists of Rich and Heavy and Stylish Cotton Materials.

These new waists, or rather the materials, form a distinctive departure, and, judging from the number worn, a particularly pleasing one.

Here are some of the attractive ones we are selling just about as fast as we can keep up the supply:

White Oxford Waists with tucked front, plain back, bishop sleeve. Comes in stripes and bars. $1.50.

White Cotton Bedford Cord Waist with small figures in red, blue and black. Made with six wide pleats and one large box pleat down front; plain back; stock of white oxford; white tie of figured bedford. $2.75.

Pretty Waist of basket weave Vesting; pleated front; French back; soft stock with turnover and tie; large jeweled detachable buttons. $6.

Also desire the younger set to know that the Golf Vests are now in this second floor department. Fine assortment. Plain and contrasting colors. Single or double breasted. Brass buttons. $2.50, $3.50 and up to $12.

PENN AND FIFTH.

...EN'S CLUBS ...ISCUSS REFORM

Annual Convention of State Federation Opens at Titusville.

PITTSBURGHERS SPEAK

Mrs. Eastman and Mrs. Miller Talk on Great Increase of Kindergarten Work in This City. Reception Tendered Visitors.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Titusville, Pa., Oct. 14.—This afternoon at the Presbyterian church was held the first session of the annual convention of the Federation of Women's Clubs of Pennsylvania. About 65 delegates have registered, but enough are expected tomorrow to swell the number to 150. The executive board met at 2 o'clock, followed by the committee on credentials, consisting of Mrs. Samuel Grumbine of this city, Mrs. W. F. Abel of Pittsburgh; Mrs. H. L. Roberts of Ardmore, and Mrs. P. M. Speer of Oil City.

MISS BEULAH KENNARD,
Delegate From the Twentieth Century Club.

The first open meeting was a council of club presidents held from 3 to 5 p. m. Mrs. Edwin W. Biddle of Carlisle, conducted this part of the program, which consisted of discussion of the clubs' best methods of offering reforms. The subject was divided under four sub-heads, viz: Municipal, educational, philanthropic and the club standard. Mrs. Biddle opened the

MISS E. D. ARMSTRONG,
Local Chairman of Transportation.

municipal subject and was followed by Mrs. J. A. Cadwallader, president of the Women's club of this city.

The curfew ordinance and its effect on children was discussed at length and its operations highly commended. Mrs. Allen of the Twentieth Century club of Pittsburgh, dwelt exhaustively on the subject of playgrounds in her city and the need of more. She expressed satisfaction that the chamber of commerce had taken considerable interest in this subject and expected much good to come therefrom.

Mrs. J. M. Oakley of Pittsburgh spoke of the bad influence of streets, and her lack of faith in improvement so long as a non-partisan police force could not be obtained. On the educational phase of the subject, Mrs. Andrew Easton, president of the Women's club of Pittsburgh, and several of her associates in the work, put great stress on kindergarten work and expressed delight in the fact that during the last 17 years the number of persons engaged in this branch of teaching in Pittsburgh had increased from 10 to 200.

Mrs. Miller of Pittsburgh spoke of her work in the same line in the southern part of the city. Mrs. Latimer of Philadelphia and Mrs. Covert of the Lawrence-ville Century club talked on the good work done through the instrumentality of free public libraries. On the subject of philanthropy Mrs. Hessler of the Women's Civic club of Reading was the principal speaker and was followed by Miss Ellis Lewis Campbell, a delegate of the new Century club of Philadelphia, and the president of the Womans' Suffrage society of the Quaker City, who talked on how to raise the club standard, also reading a paper on the subject.

Tonight a reception was given by the members of the local Women's club for the visitors, with a full orchestra in attendance.

Go to Hotel Victoria for lunch, 50c; 11:30 to 2:30.

BYERS AGAIN LEADS THE LOCAL GOLFERS

Won Gold Medal With Score of 77, Equaling Record on Strange Course.

E. M. Byers, the local golf champion, fully upheld his reputation in the first day's play of the Country club's open tournament yesterday, winning the gold medal offered for the lowest qualifying score for 18 holes, with the remarkable total of 77. Byers had never before seen the course over which he played yesterday, yet his score equaled the amateur record held by W. C. Fownes, Jr., and never before approached.

W. LINFORD SMITH,
Secretary of the Country Club, in Charge of the Open Golf Tournament.

Byers' was not the only remarkable golf of the day. J. E. Porter, who had also never seen the course, made the first nine holes at a gait equal to the champion's, but taking 41 coming in, was second with a score of 80 strokes. R. P. Nevin, Jr., of Edgeworth, also a stranger to the course, stood third with the fast score of 81. Dr. D. P. Fredericks, the Oil City sensation of the national tournament, was off his game and made but 84. George Ormiston played under a severe handicap. His golfing togs and his bag of clubs went astray, and he was forced to play with borrowed implements and in his street clothes.

Though the cold weather was an undesirable condition, the wet condition of the course only served to make scores of the greens faster. The top notch golfers never seem to mind rainy weather.

The lowest 16 scores qualified for the first cup, with a trophy for the runner-up, and the second 16 for two cups also. The first round of 18-hole match play will be decided for all cups this afternoon. The field of starters yesterday was one of the largest ever known to a local tournament. Forty-two players returned cards, while a number withdrew. The scores:

E. M. Byers, Allegheny C. C.—
Out .....5 4 3 6 4 5 4 4 4—39
In .....3 5 5 5 3 5 3 3 4—38—77

J. E. Porter, Allegheny C. C.—
Out .....6 5 4 5 4 5 3 4 4—39
In .....5 5 5 6 4 5 4 5 4—41—80

R. P. Nevin, Jr., Edgeworth—
Out .....6 5 4 5 4 4 3 4 4—41
In .....5 5 4 5 4 5 4 3 5—40—81

W. C. Towne, Jr., Highland—
Out .....6 3 5 5 5 4 3 4 5—41
In .....6 4 4 5 4 5 3 4 4—41—82

R. E. Giles, Westmoreland C. C.—
Out .....5 4 4 5 4 4 3 5 5—42
In .....6 4 3 6 5 4 3 4 4—40—82

Dr. D. P. Fredericks, Oil City—
Out .....5 5 5 6 5 4 4 4 4—42
In .....6 5 4 5 4 5 4 4 5—44—86

F. Warren Kay, New Haven G. C.—
Out .....5 6 5 6 5 4 4 3 4—42
In .....5 7 5 6 6 4 3 4 5—45—87

G. A. Ormiston, Highland—
Out .....5 5 4 5 4 5 3 4 5—40
In .....5 4 3 7 6 5 4 4 5—43—83

W. C. Fownes, Highland—
Out .....6 6 5 7 5 5 3 4 5—45
In .....5 5 4 6 4 3 4 5 5—43—88

H. McSweeney, Oil City—
Out .....6 7 4 5 4 4 5 3 4—45
In .....6 5 4 6 5 3 4 5 5—43—88

H. C. Fownes, Highland—
Out .....6 6 5 7 5 5 7 4 4—44
In .....7 5 4 6 5 6 4 4 5—45—89

John Moorhead, Jr., Allegheny—
Out .....6 7 4 6 5 5 4 4 5—47
In .....6 5 4 6 5 5 4 4 4—44—90

Walter Thayer, Allegheny—
Out .....7 5 5 6 4 4 3 4 4—47
In .....6 5 4 4 5 6 4 4 5—43—90

C. B. Fownes, Highland—
Out .....6 5 4 6 5 7 4 4 5—47
In .....5 5 6 5 5 5 4 3 6—44—91

J. S. Martin, Highland—
Out .....6 5 4 6 7 5 4 4 5—46
In .....5 5 4 6 5 5 4 5 5—44—91

W. H. Haines, Edgeworth—
Out .....6 5 4 7 6 5 4 4 6—48
In .....5 5 5 7 5 4 4 5 4—43—91

Second sixteen:

	First Round.	Second Round.	Total.
J. H. Snowden, Oil City	47	46	93
T. M. Marshall, Jr., Pittsburgh	47	46	93
Willis L. King, Jr., Pittsburgh	52	43	95
O. D. Thompson, A. C. C.	47	48	95
D. H. Hostetter, A. C. C.	50	46	96
J. N. Anderson, Country club	47	49	96
J. R. Taylor, Country club	46	51	97
J. D. Duff, Edgewood	52	46	98
J. D. Barr, Shawnee	50	49	99
R. Kennerdell, Oil City	51	48	99
C. C. Preston, Westmoreland	49	50	99
F. C. Ewart, Edgeworth	49	51	100
G. W. Porter, Country club	51	49	100
G. W. Wurzell, Edgewood	51	51	102
B. H. Evans, Country club	52	50	102
C. A. Mueller, Country club	52	50	102

Failed to qualify.

J. G. Anderson, C. C.	48	55	103
A. G. Roenigk, Highland	58	47	105
G. W. Carr, Country club	51	54	105
G. R. Buchan, Country club	57	51	108
F. H. Fitch, Field Club	58	50	108
Nelson Young, Country club	61	49	110
Dr. Chalmers Martin, Edgewood	60	53	113
E. H. Brainard, Country club	57	58	115
H. D. Kitts, Country club	61	59	120

The first match will be started today at 12 o'clock. In the list of pairings as arranged below, the winners of the first two matches will meet tomorrow, as also the winners of the third and fourth. This order of play, starting with the top of the list, continues until the final matches are reached on Saturday. The time of starting as assigned by the committee, is also given herewith:

2:00—E. M. Byers vs. H. McSweeney.
1:20—R. E. Giles vs. W. Thayer.
1:12—F. W. Kay vs. J. S. Martin.
1:04—R. P. Nevin vs. H. C. Fownes.
1:44—W. C. Fownes, Jr., vs. John Moorhead, Jr.
12:06—W. C. Fownes vs. W. H. Haines.
12:00—D. P. Fredericks vs. C. B. Fownes.
1:36—J. E. Porter vs. George Ormiston.

SECOND SIXTEEN.

12:18—J. H. Snowden vs. C. H. Barr.
12:56—H. D. Hostetter vs. J. D. Burns.
12:48—J. R. Taylor vs. B. H. Evans.
12:40—W. L. King, Jr., vs. C. C. Preston.
1:52—C. D. Thompson vs. F. C. Ewart.
12:32—J. D. Duff vs. G. W. Wurzell.
1:28—L. N. Anderson vs. G. W. Porter.
12:47—T. M. Marshall, Jr. vs. R. Kennerdell.

MRS. SAMUEL MILLER,
Delegate From the Winnedauis Club.

WOMEN PLAY AT SEWICKLEY.

Mrs. Nevin Made Lowest Score in Qualifying for Christy Cup.

The women's handicap tournament for the cup offered by Miss Lucy Christy was started yesterday on the course of the Edgeworth club at Sewickley. Mrs. R. P. Nevin, Jr., played the best golf, with a score of 94 strokes for 18 holes. The eight who qualified and the pairing for today's matches are as follows:

Mrs. F. E. Rutan vs. Mrs. Elliott Rodgers.
Miss Bertha Taylor vs. Mrs. Joseph Rohrbacher.
Mrs. R. P. Nevin, Jr., vs. Miss Clara Armstrong.
Mrs. Christian L. Shannon vs. Mrs. W. N. Kerr.

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Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

LATEST NEWS OF NEARBY TOWNS AND COUNTRY

SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS DINED WITH H. J. HEINZ

State Convention Opened at Franklin—John Wanamaker Absent.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

FRANKLIN, PA., Oct. 14.—Over 200 delegates are present at the convention of the State Sabbath School association, which opened in the First Baptist church here this morning. The meeting was opened with an address by Hugh Cork of Philadelphia, superintendent of the association, on "Organized Sunday School Work: What It Is and What it Does."

In the afternoon the principal speakers and the subjects were: "Training of Workers for State, County, Township and Local Schools," the Rev. Charles H. Oliver, York, Pa.; "Developing the Association's Finances," H. J. Heinz, Pittsburgh; "The State Primary Council," Mrs. M. G. Kennedy, Philadelphia; "Organized Primary Work," Mrs. J. W. Barnes, Philadelphia.

At 5 o'clock this evening H. J. Heinz of Pittsburgh, chairman of the state executive committee, gave a dinner at the Alsace to the committee, the presidents of the county association and the chairmen of the local committees.

The meeting this evening was opened with a song service, led by Prof. E. O. Excell of Chicago, assisted by a large chorus. The address of welcome on behalf of the city and county Sunday schools was delivered by Fred D. Olier of Franklin, and in behalf of the churches of Franklin, the Rev. A. C. Bowers extended a hearty welcome. C. R. Blackall, D. D., of Philadelphia, responded to the welcome.

The Hon. John Wanamaker of Philadelphia, president of the state association, was on the program for this evening to deliver the president's annual address, but it was announced that Mr. Wanamaker was ill and unable to be present. General Charles Miller, who also was expected to take an active part in the convention, is unable to be in attendance. The convention will continue until Thursday evening.

MISS ZUCKERMAN SET EXPO PATRONS WILD

Child Wonder Appeared With Damrosch Orchestra Last Night in a Wonderful Performance.

Gussie Zuckerman, 15 years old, appeared at the Pittsburgh exposition with the Damrosch orchestra last night. She fully justified the announcements that made her out a wonder and marvel at the piano. Liszt's tremendous Hungarian fantasie was apparently mere child's play under her tiny fingers, whose surprising powers swept conductor, players and audience completely away and brought her a volume of applause that was overwhelming. The accompaniment furnished by Mr. Damrosch and his orchestra was superb. At today's matinee Miss Zuckerman will play Sinding's "Fruehlingrauschen" and Bizet's Minuet, while at the evening concert she will present St. Saen's great concerto.

Harry Luckstone, the baritone, is winning high favor with his brilliant solos. His rendering last night of the "Prologue" to "Pagliacci," in which the fine qualities of his rich voice were fully revealed, was fine. For this afternoon he has selected Wagner's "Evening Star," and for tonight, "Il Balem," from Verdi's popular "Trovatore."

The matinee today, with the Damrosch orchestra and two superior soloists, certainly should attract banner audiences, for such music as that to be offered will not soon again be heard in this city for ten times the admission fee charged. This afternoon's program follows:

2 P. M.

Bacchanalic from "Tannhaeuser".....Wagner
Rondo capriccio, "Rage Over a Lost six-penny".....Beethoven
(a) Bridal Song, from "Rustic Wedding"; (b) Serenade, Symphony.....Goldmark
"Song to the Evening Star".....Wagner
Mr. Harry Luckstone.
"Feast at the House of Capulet".....Berlioz
4:00 P. M.
"Academic Festival" overture.....Brahms
(a) "In the Woods".....Chabrier
(b) Valse.....Chaminade
Piano Solo—(a) "Fruehlingrauschen"...Sinding
(b) "Minuet".....Bizet
Miss Gussie Zuckerman.
"A Scene on the Russian Steppes"...Borodine
Waltz. "Royal Songs".....Strauss

Yale's Golf Tourney.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Oct. 14.—(Special.)—The second round of the championship golf tournament at Yale was finished today when Bahr beat Richmond 3 up and 3 to go. Ewing beat Carroll 4 up and 5 to go, and White beat Robertson 4 up and 2 to go. The Yale university golf team will play the Fairfield Country club team in Stamford tomorrow.

THE WEATHER.

Fair and warmer conditions are predicted for Pittsburgh and vicinity today by the Washington weather bureau. There will be a slight cooling off of the atmosphere on the following day, according to the forecast of the weather observer. Yesterday the highest temperature recorded was 49 degrees. The minimum was 41, and occurred in the afternoon. During the day

Fair.

there was a light fall of rain, amounting to .06 of an inch.

The Gazette weather service thermometers at Kaufmann's corner at the following hours yesterday registered:

12 noon	45 degrees	8 p. m.	44 degrees
4 p. m.	41 degrees	12 midnight	40 degrees

Time of sunrise today..... 6:11 a. m.
Time of sunset today..... 5:22 p. m.

Daily report for yesterday furnished by the United States weather bureau:

Time.	Bar.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	29.98	48	73	N. W.	Cloudy.
8 p. m.	30.16	45	65	N. W.	Cloudy.

Comparative temperature and precipitation for the past six years:

	1902	1900	1899	1898	1897	1896
Maximum	60	66	84	57	85	58
Minimum	46	53	61	45	58	45
Mean	52	59	72	51	70	52
Precipitation	0	.47	0	.40	0	.66

Maximum temperature (8 a. m.)..... 49
Minimum temperature (2 p. m.)..... 41
Mean temperature..... 45
Normal temperature (for 31 years)..... 52
Deficiency in temperature for the day..... 10
Excess in temperature since October 1..... 5
Deficiency in temperature since January 1. 120
Normal precipitation (for 51 years)..... .08
Precipitation for the day..... .00
Deficiency in precipitation for the day..... .05
Excess in precipitation since October 1..... 1.58
Deficiency in precipitation since January 1 2.08

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 14.—Forecast for Wednesday and Thursday:

Western Pennsylvania and Ohio—Fair and warmer Wednesday; brisk to high west winds; Thursday, fair and cooler in north portion.

West Virginia—Fair Wednesday, warmer in west portion; Thursday fair.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.

Pittsburgh	44 Cloudy	Grand Haven	48 Clear
Cincinnati	46 Clear	Cleveland	44 Cloudy
Parkersburg	46 Clear	New Orleans	68 Clear
Indianapolis	44 Clear	Jacksonville	74 Cloudy
Chicago	50 Clear	Norfolk	62 Clear
Des Moines	56 Clear	North Platte	62 Clear
Kansas City	60 Clear	Cheyenne	54 Clear
Oklahoma	66 Clear	Denver	66 Clear
St. Louis	52 Clear	Salt Lake	68 Clear
Cairo	60 Clear	Omaha	62 Clear
Memphis	56 Clear	Rapid City	62 Clear
Louisville	48 Clear	Dodge City	64 Clear
Chattanooga	56 Clear	Marquette	46 Cloudy
Vicksburg	60 Clear	Huron Platte	62 Clear
Washington	50 Clear	Bismarck	54 Clear
New York	54 Clear	Helena	64 PtCldy
Philadelphia	52 PtCldy	St. Paul	56 Clear

Have Been Married Fifty Years.

MR. AND MRS. ALFRED WILLIAMS OF SHARON.
Mr. and Mrs. Williams, Two of Sharon's Oldest and Most Respected Residents, and Recently Celebrated Their Golden Wedding, Amid the Congratulations of Many Friends.

SMALL BOYS DRUNK DURING SCHOOL HOURS

Were Carried From Room in Helpless Condition at Parkersburg.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., Oct. 14.—Fred Buckheimer and Willie McCoy, aged 9 and 10 years, were carried from the school room this morning helplessly drunk. Their actions attracted the attention of the teacher, who at first could not understand what was the matter.

They had secured half a pint of whisky from a bartender who said he had often let them have whisky, as the mother of one of them had authorized him to let her son have drinks whenever he wanted them.

Prosecution will probably follow.

TO RAZE OLD CAPITOL.

Work of Tearing Down the State House at Harrisburg to Begin Next Monday.

HARRISBURG, Oct. 14.—(Special.)—The contractors for the new capitol, George F. Payne & Co. of Philadelphia, will begin work on the building next Monday. The interior of the present building will be torn out and altered to conform with plans of Architect Joseph M. Huston of Philadelphia. Contractor Payne said today that as soon as the old executive building and the internal affairs building were vacted they would be torn down to make room for the wings of the main building.

The occupants of these buildings are preparing to move into an abandoned shoe factory in East State street, which Contractor Payne is fitting and will have ready to move into by November 1. Special effort will be made by the contractors to have the capitol in condition for occupancy by the next legislature. The contractors and their staff of engineers, draughtsmen and other assistants will have their headquarters in the apartments of the president pro tem. of the senate.

CHURCH CENTENNIAL.

United Presbyterians Hold Celebration at Synod at Mercer.

MERCER, PA., Oct. 14.—(Special.)—The centennial celebration of the organization of the First United Presbyterian church of Mercer, and the meeting of the recently organized synod of the west in that church, are being largely attended by persons prominent in the United Presbyterian church. The Rev. Dr. S. W. Gilkey read a paper giving the history of the church since its formation. Addresses were delivered by former pastors.

This afternoon the first synod of the west met in the church and was attended by about 140 ministers. The moderator, the Rev. D. G. McKay, D. D., delivered the opening sermon, after which a conference on foreign and home missions was held, with addresses by the Rev. C. R. Hatson of Philadelphia and the Rev. A. Gilchrist, D. D., of Pittsburgh.

A conference on "Our Debt to the Past" was presided over by the Rev. J. H. Breeden, followed by an address by the Rev. J. W. Gealey on "The Origin of the United Presbyterian Church," and "The Progress of a Century" by the Rev. J. O. Campbell, D. D.

Church Examinations Held.

BEDFORD, PA., Oct. 14.—(Special.)—The mid-year examinations and ministerial institute of the Central Pennsylvania conference of the Methodist Episcopal church were held today. A large number of students took the examinations. Addresses were made by the Rev. H. A. Buttz, D. D., of Drew Theological seminary, N. J.; the Rev. H. L. Jacobs, Altoona, and Bishop W. F. Mallalieu, Auburndale, Mass.

Passenger Was Worsted.

W. J. Rice of No. 1332 Federal street, Allegheny, was taken to Allegheny General hospital yesterday evening suffering from injuries received in a fight in Perrysville avenue car, shortly before 6 o'clock. Rice got into a fight with the conductor about his fare. Rice asserted he had already paid his fare and refused to pay again or get off the car, as he was ordered. In the mix-up Rice was thrown from the car and dislocated his right shoulder. His injuries were dressed at the hospital and he was taken to his home. The trouble occurred on Federal street near North avenue.

Horner Attaches His Veto.

Burgess Horner of Wilkinsburg has vetoed the resolution recently adopted by the borough council providing for the submission of a proposition to issue bonds to buy a site for the new Carnegie library. He claims council has no power to go to such an extraordinary expense until 5 per cent of the voters have petitioned for an election.

Asthma Can Be Cured

The statement of Mr. J. F. Homan, 20 E. Adams St., Chicago, proves that the worst cases of Asthma in the world are not only relieved, but are readily cured by Dr. Schiffmann's Asthma Cure. He says: "Asthma kept me in terrible misery for ten years until I used your Asthma Cure. After the first trial I was a changed man. I went to sleep that night and awoke next day much relieved and I have gotten entirely over the Asthma. It is now nine years since I was cured."

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DRUNKEN INDIANS TERRORIZE A TOWN

Employes of Wild West Show Cause a Panic at Toronto, O.

TORONTO, O., Oct. 14.—Pawnee Bill's wild west show exhibited here yesterday, and during and after the show last night, as the employes were paid, many got drunk, including the Indians, who ran wild for a time, creating a panic.

With great difficulty the police quelled the trouble late tonight, and two Indians are in jail here. The Indians are from the government reservations and it is a federal offense to furnish them liquor.

The show management assisted the officers in quelling the riot and the performance was cut short on this account. Men and women fled from the Indians when they went on the war path.

MISSIONARIES IN DANGER.

Bishop Dubs' Son Writes of Massacres Occurring in China.

WILLIAMSPORT, PA., Oct. 14.—At today's session of the general conference of the Evangelical church, Bishop Dubs read a letter from his son, the Rev. C. N. Dubs, missionary in Hunan, China. The letter in part is as follows:

"Massacres are taking place in the city of Changsha, province of Hunan. The danger is great and imminent. We attribute our preservation up to this hour to the interposition of God. The Chinese officials are doing all they can for us. Soldiers occupy rented houses surrounding our residence. The opposition is bitter; only God can overcome it. The massacre in churches in Hunan shows what may come to others at any time."

RESCUED BY TENTH.

Two Men Are Badly Beaten by Mobs at Shamokin.

SHAMOKIN, PA., Oct. 14.—While John Shipman and David Hewitt, non-unionists, were returning home from the Henry Clay shaft this evening, they were held up by a mob of 500 men, women and children and pelted with tomatoes, clubs and stones.

Both were knocked down a number of times before they escaped. On the approach of the soldiers of the Tenth regiment the crowd dispersed.

State Charters Issued.

HARRISBURG, Oct. 14.—Charters were issued today to the following corporations: The Summit Park Water Company, Bethel township, Allegheny county, capital $1,000; the Castle Shannon Water Company, Bethel township, $1,000; the Arlington Water Company, Bethel township, $1,000; the Monongahela City Improvement Company, Pittsburgh, $15,000; Union Furniture Company, McKees Rocks, $100,000; Penn Glass Tube Company, Bradford, $5,000.

Challenge to Corn Huskers.

YORK, PA., Oct. 14.—(Special.)—Elijah Barnhart, champion corn husker of York, Adams and Cumberland counties, is again out with a challenge to all comers. Barnhart has just performed fresh feats which entitle him to recognition in his particular acquirement. In 17 working days, of 10 hours each, Barnhart husked 1,500 shocks, with an average of 90 ears to the bushel, or an aggregate of 135,000 ears.

To Extend Trolley Lines.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Oct. 14.—(Special.)—The New Castle Electric Railway Company has asked councils for franchises for a new extension to be built at a cost of perhaps $50,000. The West Washington street branch will be extended to the city line, as will also the Pittsburgh street branch. Terminal facilities for the New Castle & Sharon railway will be provided by the laying of two additional tracks surrounding the public square.

ODD FELLOWS LODGE INSTITUTED AT ELLWOOD

New Organization Has Membership of Over One Hundred.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

ELLWOOD, PA., Oct. 14.—Past District Deputy Grand Master W. L. Campbell of New Castle this afternoon instituted Refugere lodge, No. 142, I. O. O. F., in the presence of a large number of Odd Fellows from Ellwood, New Castle, Beaver Falls, Homewood and other points.

This evening 80 candidates were initiated, giving the new lodge a membership of over 100. A luncheon concluded the festivities of the day.

The officers of the new lodge are: J. O. Hazen, noble grand; R. D. Turner, vice grand; J. E. Powell, secretary; J. O. Geisler, treasurer.

READY FOR CONVENTION.

Pittsburgh District of the Y. M. C. A. to Meet in Beaver Falls.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., Oct. 14.—(Special.)—The officers and members of the Young Men's Christian association at this place have about completed arrangement for the annual convention of the Young Men's Christian association of the Pittsburgh district, which convenes here Friday, Saturday and Sunday. The Pittsburgh district is composed of associations in 14 towns and cities in Western Pennsylvania, three branches in Pittsburgh, two railroad associations, six college associations and three associations connected with theological seminaries, and it is expected that fully 1,000 delegates and visiting members will be present.

One of the features of the convention will be a reception and banquet to delegates and visiting members at the First Presbyterian church on Friday evening. The banquet will be arranged by the women of the different churches.

Synod of Ohio Meets.

STEUBENVILLE, O., Oct. 14.—(Special.)—The synod of Ohio began its sessions tonight in the First Presbyterian church, when the opening sermon was preached by the Rev. Russell A. McKinley, Ph. D., D. D., of Steubenville, the retiring moderator. There are 250 delegates. The Ohio Synodical Sabbath School association began its annual meeting tonight. The opening address was made by the Rev. Robert J. Thompson of Lima, O.

Veteran Soldier Killed Himself

TITUSVILLE, PA., Oct. 14.—(Special.)—Nathan McMaster, a one-legged soldier, 60 years old, ended his life by putting a bullet through his heart this afternoon. Continued bad health brought on a fit of despondency. He is survived by his widow.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

STEUBENVILLE, O.—Steve Bolint, a miner at Jug Run, died as the result of the accidental discharge of a shotgun.

YOUNGSTOWN, O.—The grand jury indicted Simon Abruson of Sharon for murder in the first degree for the killing of his wife at East Youngstown.

WARREN, O.—Alanson Peck of Warren was arrested on a charge of perjury in giving evidence in a case wherein he is charged with cock fighting. He gave a $500 bond.

RIDGEWAY, PA.—Thomas Marline and Peter Paolo, the Italians charged with the killing of James Heekin at Shawmut last January, pleaded guilty to second degree murder.

GREENSBURG, PA.—Despondent over family troubles, Mrs. Harry Ripple of Derry committed suicide by drinking laudanum. She was 25 years old and is survived by her husband and one child.

SHARON, PA.—Daniel McCauley of Youngstown, a brakeman on the Erie railroad, put his head out of a caboose window near here and was struck by a car standing on a siding. He was probably fatally injured.

CLARKSBURG, W. VA.—Pasco Roan, a foreigner, in a drunken row at Enterprise, this county, shot and instantly killed Frank Grazio, another foreigner. Roan was committed to jail without bail.

JOHNSTOWN, PA.—Fire at Southfork destroyed the scale house of the Argyle Coal Company and cremated John Kline, a young man who was sleeping in the building. He was a son of Henry Kline of Southfork.

FAIRMONT, W. VA.—The annual session of the West Virginia Hotel Keepers' association is being held in this city. The following officers were elected: President, Charles Van Kurn, Wheeling; vice president, T. L. Shield, Parkersburg; secretary, E. B. Carney, Parkersburg.

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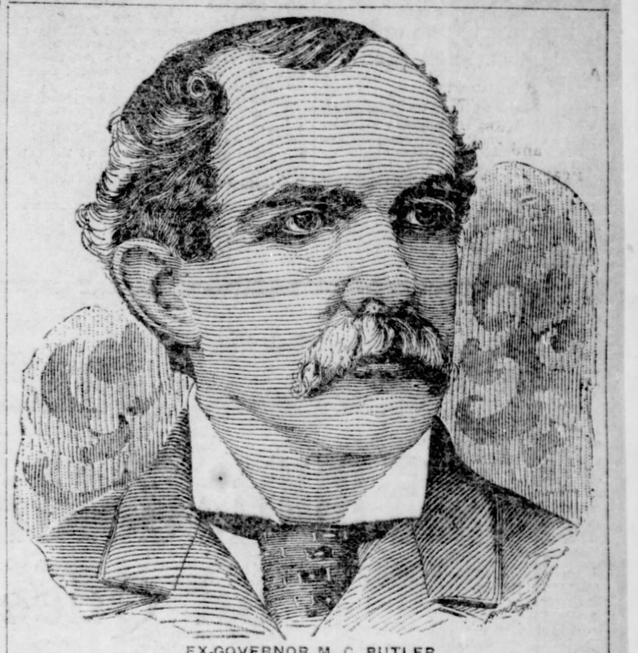

EX-GOVERNOR M. C. BUTLER.

Ex-U. S. Senator and ex-Governor M. C. Butler of South Carolina, in a recent letter to The Peruna Medicine Co. from Washington, D. C. says:

"I can recommend Peruna for dyspepsia and stomach trouble. I have been using your medicine for a short period and I feel very much relieved. It is indeed a wonderful medicine besides a good tonic."—M. C. Butler.

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"I consulted another physician with no better results. My disease kept growing on me, until I had exhausted the ability of sixteen of Rochester's best physicians. Can tell their names if necessary. The last physician recommended me to give up my work and go south, after he had practiced on me for one year. They gave me a thorough examination with the X-Ray with no results. They could not even determine what my ailments were.

"I did not, nor ever have taken any stock in patent medicines, but your testimonials in the Rochester papers were worthy of consideration. I told my wife I was going to try a bottle of the Peruna. The next time I went to the city I purchased a bottle, and before the bottle was half gone I noticed a change for the better.

"I am now taking the fifth bottle and have not an ache or a pain anywhere. My bowels move regularly every day and I have taken on eighteen pounds of flesh, my usual weight being 145 pounds. I was down at one time as low as one hundred and twenty-six pounds.

"I have recommended Peruna to a great many and they have recommended it very highly. I have told several people that complained of that species of catarrh that if they would purchase a bottle of Peruna and take it according to directions and if when the bottle was gone they could come to me and tell me candidly that they had no benefit, I would pay for the bottle of medicine. I have so far had no complaints, but all first-class recommendations."—A. C. Lockhart.

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Much Enthusiasm Manifested at the Washington Centennial.

ALUMNI READ HISTORY

A Celebration in the Park, Suppers and Receptions Were Also Features of the College Anniversary Festivities.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Washington, Pa., Oct. 14.—The third day of the centennial celebration of Washington and Jefferson college was filled with enthusiasm. Today was the occasion fixed for a display by the undergraduate body and for a celebration of the prowess of the institution in the various lines of athletics.

The features were the two big parades in the afternoon and night, when all the students and alumni who were not too old and dignified to shout let loose with all their voices. The football game in the afternoon was the occasion for probably the greatest display of enthusiasm ever seen at Washington and Jefferson.

The exercises commenced at 9:30 in the morning, when a solemn procession marched from the college building to the gymnasium auditorium. At the head of it was the faculty, then came the trustees, historians, representatives of other institutions, followed by the alumni and students, wearing caps and gowns. Dr. B. L. A. Agnew of Philadelphia presided over the meeting.

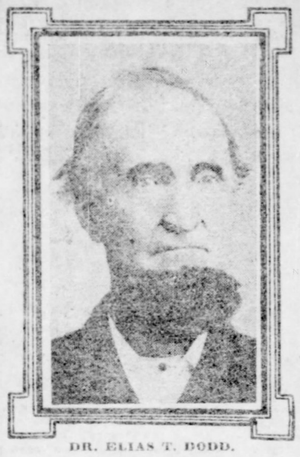
Dr. Riddle Read History.

A history of the three pioneer schools or academies founded by John McMillan, Thaddeus Dodd and Joseph Smith in 1780, 1802 and 1806, respectively, was read by Dr. E. T. Jeffers of York, Pa. This was followed by a history of Jefferson college from 1802 to 1865 by Dr. M. B. Riddle of Allegheny. At noon an elaborate luncheon was served in the college building, and then the historical session was again resumed with Dr. Wallace Radcliffe of Chicago in charge.

A history of Washington college from 1806 to 1865 was read by Dr. John W. Dinsmore of San Jose, and a history of Washington and Jefferson college from the time of the reunion of the colleges to the present day was read by the Rev. Samuel B. McCormick of Iowa.

In the evening all the students and the visiting alumni gathered at College park, where there was a big celebration. A huge gaslight that flamed 20 feet into the air lighted the grounds. A procession marched to the college gymnasium, where a reception and smoker was tendered the visitors by the students. Dr. Charles A. Dickey of Philadelphia presided in place of Dr. John R. Paxton of New York, who was unable to be present. After the reception there were numerous suppers by classes and fraternities, and all the halls and caterers of the town were utilized.

JOHN A. DODD.



DR. ELIAS T. DODD.

MATTHEW B. RIDDLE, D. D., LL. D., Who Yesterday Read a History of Jefferson College.

THE HON. MARCUS W. ACHESON, Who Will Speak on "Law" Today.

Judge Acheson to Make Address.

To morrow will be the big and final day. At 8:30 a procession of the faculty trustees, representatives of other institutions, recipients of degrees, alumni and students will march from the college to the gymnasium. A commemorative address will be followed by the conferring of honorary degrees. Representatives of other institutions will make addresses of greeting. Gen. James A. Beaver of Bellefonte will preside in the afternoon.

Addresses will be made on the alumni in the different professions as follows: Law, Judge M. W. Acheson, Pittsburgh; theology, the Rev. Dr. S. J. Niccolls, St. Louis; medicine, Dr. T. D. Davis, Pittsburgh; army and navy, Gen. A. L. Snowden, Philadelphia. Then will follow presentation of portraits of the Hon. John P. Penny of the Jefferson college class of 1843 by Judge Acheson; of Prof. Alonzo Linn and Samuel Jones, by Judge J. D. Shafer of Pittsburgh, and of Chief Justice J. B. Sterrett, by a member of the supreme court of Pennsylvania.

A great effort is being made by President Moffat and others interested in the welfare of Washington and Jefferson, to secure a heavy endowment during the centennial, and already gifts approximating $500,000 have been promised. At the reunions of the classes yesterday amounts ranging from $300 to $5,000 were pledged by nearly every one of the classes, with a promise to pay the amount before the end of the present year.

Among the residents of Washington who have been active in the celebration are Dr. Elias T. Dodd, the only surviving grandson of the Rev. Thaddeus Dodd, the founder of the old Washington academy, and John A. Dodd, a great-great-grandson of the early educator. Dr. Dodd is one of the oldest residents of this community and was one of the promoters of the centennial festivities. John A. Dodd is a student in the Washington academy.

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CASEY REVOKES ORDER

American Admiral Now Allows Government to Use Panama Railroad—Runaway New York Boy Sent Home.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

Panama, Oct. 14.—It is reported that Gen. Herrera has several German officers on the revolutionary gunboat Padilla acting as gunners. Americans coming to Colombia with the government's armed steamer Bogota will have a chance to show their superiority back of the guns against German rivals.

P. B. Ludd, an American, who fought in Cuba as captain of the Sixth company of Missouri volunteers, joined the Colombian army today. He belongs to one of the best families of St. Louis. Gov. Salazar has put him in charge of the Colombian marines intended for the Bogota, and he has started drilling them.

Young R. G. Leeds, 16-year-old son of President Leeds of the Rock Island railroad, wished to join the rebels. He left Andover college, but was stopped here and sent home by the United States consul.

Rear Admiral Casey has decided to allow the Colombian government to use the railroad, as the transit of troops and ammunition no longer involves hostilities and an interruption of traffic.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—R. G. Leeds arrived at this port today from Panama. He went from the steamer's pier to the family home in Fifth avenue, where his mother lay ill on account of his disappearance.

WILLEMSTAD, CURACAO, Oct. 14.—The government of Venezuela, owing to the fear that the revolutionists might make a night attack on Caracas, has been transferred to the "provisional capital" of Venezuela in the Guacipuro district surrounding Los Teques, without any town or village being stipulated as the headquarters of the ministers.

PUERTE CABELLO, VENEZUELA, Oct. 14.—According to an official report received here, the battle fought between the Venezuelan revolutionists and the forces of President Castro, near La Victoria, has resulted in a complete victory for the government.

DELAY IN MERGER CASE.

Northern Securities Company et al. Get Thirty Days' Continuance.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 14.—The United States supreme court today granted to counsel for the Northern Securities Company, Northern Pacific and Great Northern railroads 30 days' time to demur, plead or make answer in the proceeding of the state of Washington in the merger case.

The time was granted on the request of ex-Attorney General Griggs, attorney for the trust and the railroad companies.

JOHN O'DONNELL SENTENCED.

Member of Parliament Gets Six Months In Prison.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—John O'Donnell, Nationalist member of parliament for the South division of County Mayo, has been sentenced at Birr to three months' imprisonment at hard labor and to an additional three months in default of bail for good behavior.

O'Donnell was convicted of intimidation and inciting to boycotting.

GOV. TAFT THE IDOL OF FILIPINO PEOPLE

Letter Written by Late Father MacKinnon Tells of Conditions in Manila.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

ST. PAUL, Oct. 14.—Archbishop Ireland has received a letter from the Rev. William MacKinnon of Manila, who died before his letter reached its destination. Father MacKinnon was a martyr to his loyalty to duty. Exhausted from devoted attendance upon cholera patients he fell a victim to the plague and died at his post.

Following is a portion of Father MacKinnon's letter to Archbishop Ireland, bearing date of Manila, September 2:

"Your interview was much appreciated by all here. The way in which our governor was being abused at home made me almost ashamed to ask any favors for the church here. But your interview will show that the Catholic body is not back of those attacks.

"Gov. Taft is certainly the idol of the people of the archipelago and Vice Gov. Wright is next in favor; and abuse of them by our Catholic papers at home has done great injury to the church here."

HENRY'S AUTO BROKE DOWN.

Prince Obliged to Lodge With Repair Shop Proprietor.

BERLIN, Oct. 14.—Prince Henry's new automobile, in which he started from Hamburg, October 8, via Duesseldorf for Armstend, where he will spend his vacation with the princess and their children, broke down in the country before he reached Duesseldorf and the prince was compelled to stop all night with the proprietor of a repair shop.

He is traveling under the name of Von Achenbach, but at Asnabrueck, where he stopped for benzine, he was at once recognized by the townspeople, who made a demonstration in his honor.

HISTORIC MANSION DOOMED.

Janice Meredith's Home to Give Way to Modern Improvements.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Oct. 14.—(Special.)—The old mansion made famous as the home of "Janice Meredith," three miles from New Brunswick, will soon be but a memory. The house has a famous colonial history and has been a landmark since the days of the revolution.

The low ceiling and time-stained walls will give place to modern improvements.

GRATEFUL FOR FOOD.

Lived Seven Weeks on Milk.

"Three years ago this month I was a great sufferer with stomach trouble," writes Mrs. William Leigh of Prairie du Sac, Wis. "I had to give up eating meat, potatoes and sweets, and lived simply on bread and tea; finally that, too, had to be given up. I got so weak I could not work and I took nothing into my stomach for seven weeks but milk. I had tried three doctors and all for no purpose; the last doctor advised me to stop all medicine. I had to anyway. I was so weak I was prostrate in bed.

"A friend advised me to try Grape-Nuts, but I was afraid to when a teaspoonful of milk brought tears to my eyes, my stomach was so raw. But I tried one teaspoonful a day of the Grape-Nuts for one week, and finding it agreed with me, increased the quantity. In two weeks I could walk out to the kitchen; in four weeks I walked half a block, and today I do my own light housekeeping.

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DEATHS.

BECKERT—On Monday, October 13, 1902, at 4:30 p. m., at his residence, Mt. Troy, Reserve township, JACOB BECKERT, aged 65 years.

Funeral services on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

(Erie papers please copy.)

CAMPBELL—On Tuesday, October 14, 1902, at 3:30 a. m., at Verona, Pa., MRS. JANE A., beloved wife of William Campbell, in her 74th year.

Funeral services at the residence of her son, R. W. Campbell, West Railroad avenue, this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Interment at Red Bank, Armstrong county, on Thursday afternoon at 1. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

CASEY—On Monday, October 13, 1902, at 5:30 p. m., at his residence, No. 436 Lincoln avenue, East End, T. D. CASEY, aged 62 years.

Solemn high mass of requiem at Sacred Heart church, Center avenue, East End, on Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

COLLINS—On Sunday, October 12, 1902, at 8:50 a. m., at his residence, No. 509 Second street, Allegheny, HENRY W. COLLINS, member of Company K, One Hundred and Thirty-ninth Pennsylvania volunteers.

Funeral on Wednesday, October 15, at 2:30 p. m. Services at the residence of his son-in-law, John Averell, Jr., No. 40 Wilson avenue, Allegheny. Friends of the family and members of G. A. R. posts Nos. 163 and 128 are respectfully invited to attend.

HOOBLER—On Tuesday, October 14, 1902, at 7:15 p. m., ERNEST H. HOOBLER, in his 28th year.

Funeral services at the residence of his uncle, John H. Croskey, No. 459 Atlantic avenue, East End, this evening at 8 o'clock. Interment at Unionport, O., on Thursday.

[Steubenville (O.) papers please copy.]

JOLLY—On Tuesday, October 14, 1902, at the family residence, Coraopolis, Pa., EMMA GERTRUDE, wife of John K. Jolly, in her 47th year.

Funeral services at the family residence, Coraopolis, this evening at 8 o'clock. Interment private. Thursday afternoon.

M'CARTY—Suddenly, on Sunday, October 12, 1902, at 7:30 p. m., DANIEL, beloved husband of Minnie McCarty (nee Wagner), aged 48 years.

Funeral on Wednesday, October 15, at 8:30 a. m., from his late residence, 430 Cedar street. High mass at St. Joseph's church at 9 a. m. Friends of the family and branch 58, C. M. B. A., and sister branches are respectfully invited to attend.

REESE—On Sunday, October 12, 1902, at 5:45 p. m., at his residence, No. 1312 Fourth avenue, Beaver Falls, Pa., DAVID V. REESE, SR.

Funeral on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

REYNOLDS—On Tuesday, October 14, 1902, at 10:15 a. m., JOSEPH REED, son of Ernest L. and Mary E. Reynolds, aged 21 years, 8 months, 27 days.

Funeral services will be held at his parents' residence, No. 723 Oakwood street, Thirty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh, on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment at Homewood cemetery.

SANDROCK—On Monday, October 13, 1902, at 2 a. m., MARGARET, daughter of the late Conrad and Margaret Sandrock, in her 46th year.

Funeral services at the residence of Mr. Frederick Heinz, 1623 Main street, Sharpsburg, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

THOMPSON—Suddenly, on Monday morning, October 13, 1902, at 6 o'clock, MRS. ELLEN THOMPSON, mother of Joseph Thompson and sister of Roger O'Mara.

Funeral from the residence of her sister, Mrs. Egan, No. 2015 Fifth avenue, on Thursday, October 16, at 8:15 p. m. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Paul's cathedral at 9 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

VOGEL—Tuesday, October 14, 1902, at 9:25 p. m., EMMA LOUISA VOGEL, daughter of John A. and Annie Vogel (nee Flechsig), aged 16 years, 2 months and 19 days.

Services Friday at 2:30 p. m., Grace Evangelical Lutheran church, on Spring Garden avenue, Allegheny. Funeral will leave house at 2 p. m., 241 High street, Allegheny.

WILLERY—On Monday, October 13, 1902, at 10 p. m., MARY, beloved wife of Henry Willery, aged 17 years and 8 months.

Funeral services at her late residence in Parnassus, Pa., on Thursday, October 16, at 1:30 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

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While our sympathies have been with Controller Larkin in his efforts to curb maladministration, yet looking at the matter from broad grounds of public policy, the judicial decisions against the extended authority he has claimed and exercised must be pronounced salutary. Defects of administration cannot be corrected by action taken after the fact by an accounting officer, and it is not desirable that the public shall be imbued with the idea of seeking relief in that quarter. The proper site of responsibility is in the office of recorder, and that fact ought never to be obscured. The language of the opinions filed in the mandamus cases leaves no doubt on that point. The controller has no power to interefere with the performance of lawful contracts made by executive departments acting within their proper sphere, even if those contracts are improvidently made. No part of such responsibility rests upon his office, and this exoneration, now judicially made, should be acceptable to the controller. There is no good reason why he should go on incurring expenses of litigation to take up responsibilities which primarily rest upon the recorder and his department chiefs. The controller's duties, as delineated in the opinions filed, are still extensive enough to give wide scope to his activities, as it is stated that "his office is to see that the various departments do not exceed their appropriations, nor apply them to purposes without their proper scope." There is plenty to keep him busy in this field, owing to the go-as-you-please methods of municipal administration.

One feature of the coal strike situation which must impress all thoughtful men, is the precedent it has set for the interference of the president. It cannot be doubted that hereafter whenever there is a widespread conflict between labor and capital an appeal will go up to the president to act as an arbiter. The tendencies which aggrandize national authority to the diminution of state authority are probably inherent in our constitutional system. Long ago Alexander Hamilton predicted that the time would arrive when every public issue would be swallowed up in the question who shall be our next president. It cannot be said that the present tendency to look to the president for action in all important matters was unforeseen by the framers of the constitution, but it has certainly been intensified by the disintegration of public authority in state administration. In the national government all executive authority is concentrated in the presidential office. Every administrative position, however local its functions, is under the direct control of the president. In state administration local sheriffs, justices and constables are independent authorities, whose activity may even impede or obstruct the general authority of the state. Moreover, the multiplication of independent authority almost necessitates corruption as a regular principle of government in state affairs. The more partitions of authority there are the more the necessity will exist for some co-ordinating influence, and hence rings and bosses. In national affairs there can be no boss but the president, and the people are fast acquiring the habit of looking to him for help in every serious emergency.

The process of disintegration in state government is greatly accelerated by the fondness for trying all sorts of nostrums which possesses a certian class of reformers. Laws for abolishing party organization and making party nominations elective; laws compelling voters to pick out candidates individually instead of voting a party ticket; laws diminishing legislative responsibility by providing for direct initiative of legislation and a referendum upon enactments; and all sorts of projects for enfeebling public authority and destroying political responsibility have earnest advocates. If our highly esteemed friend, Mr. Guthrie, could have his way there would be an orgy of reform at Harrisburg that would sicken the whole state and would intensify the very ills for which his nostrums are prescribed. We notice that the Hon. William Flinn has gone into the same line of business, but that is more interesting than important. The size of it is that having dumped his old machine in the ditch he is looking around for another with which to secure consignments of political freight.

Labor gains nothing by abusing the national guard. This thought is suggested by the action of the trade assembly of Schenectady upon the calling out of a regiment of the New York guard to suppress disorder at Glens Falls. The assembly passed a resolution that all union men on duty as militiamen should be expelled from membership in the labor organizations to which they belonged. The resolution has excited a lively discussion in New York which is not all favorable to organized labor as represented in the Schenectady assembly.

When the national guardsmen were called out in New York it was to suppress rioting and disorder. That was not merely a legitimate object, but a beneficent one. It was no part of the duty of the guard to suppress the strike in progress at Glens Falls unless that strike depended upon rioting for continuance. The national guard had absolutely no concern with the matters in dispute between employers and employed, but was called to preserve the public peace. The resolution of the Schenectady assembly amounts to a declaration on its part that it favors disorder and that in its opinion no man is worthy to be a member of a labor union who would interfere at the call of the state to stop a riot. We do not believe that sentiment fairly represents organized labor. It is doubtful, even, whether the Schenectady assembly meant to put itself in that attitude, but it is a lamentable fact that many labor organizations do oppose the national guard, which is merely a non-partisan agent for the enforcement of the laws when the power of the civil authorties is found insufficient. It is time they should begin to think how this senseless opposition is to be construed.

MR. KNOX'S ADDRESS.

The address of Attorney General Knox before the chamber of commerce last night was an event of national importance. The leading issue of our politics today is the control of the trusts. Mr. Knox is the head of the department of the national government which applies the law. What he has to say about the resources of legal authority in dealing with the trusts has practical value. His speech had no political character, but was a calm, able, thorough discussion of the subject. The occasion and the speech were far above the plane of party politics. A great question was treated in a great way.

The substance of Mr. Knox's address divides naturally in two parts—what has been accomplished and what may be accomplished by legislation. The review he gave of action taken by the government and decisions by the courts, conclusively disposes of the impatient cry frequently heard that trust legislation has been ineffective and nothing has been done. As a matter of fact legislation has been so effective that the trust form of industrial combination has been wiped out of existence. A great deal has been done and much is still being done. The railroad combination to monopolize the grain trade has been dissolved, the cotton pool organized to control the routing of shipments has been broken up, the beef trust has been put upon its defense in the courts and the attempted merger of transcontinental railroads has been checked by suits now pending.

Mr. Knox, while showing that the act of 1890 against combinations in restraint of trade has been and still is effective, admits that it does not reach all the problems presented by the concentration of industrial management. The act of 1890 applies only to restaints upon commence and does not reach restraints upon manufacture. Summarizing the decisions on the subject, Mr. Knox says:

> It is not enough, it seems, that a trust or corporation owning corporations exists, or that it is engaged in interstate or foreign commerce, for its mere engaging in commerce is not prohibited, or that it monopolizes production throughout the country, or that it is formed to restrain or monopolize business within a state or destroys competition in buying or selling within a state, or that by any of these things it indirectly affects interstate commerce with a practical restraint or monopoly to bring the corporation or its particular transaction within the emphatic clauses or under the drastic penalties of the anti-trust law.

The immediate problem is to find means for the extension of public authority over the processes of production, so as to reach detriments originating there. Upon that point Mr. Knox speaks cautiously, but hopefully, intimating that the power to regulate interstate commerce is so far-reaching in its implications that it affords means of effective regulation of production as well. He says:

> If congress under its power to regulate interstate commerce may utterly destroy a combination and forfeit its property in interstate transit, as the Sherman act provides, because it restrains such commerce, it seems reasonable to say that it can in the exercise of the same power deny to a combination whose life it cannot reach the privilege of engaging in interstate commerce, except upon such terms as congress may prescribe to protect that commerce from restraint. Such a regulation would operate directly upon commerce and only indirectly upon the instrumentalities and operations of production.

A cogent argument both in favor of the existence of such power in the national government and its exercise by the national government lies in the fact that unless the power exists there it exists nowhere, for the states cannot interfere with interstate commerce, and this makes them powerless to exclude effects of conditions which they might prohibit within their own borders.

Mr. Knox firmly asserts both the need and the authority for national regulation of industrial combinations. He says:

> That there are evils and abuses in trust promotions, purposes, organizations, methods, management, and effects none questions except those who have profited by those evils. That all or any of these abuses are to be found in every large organization called a trust no one would assert who valued his reputation for sane judgment.

At the same time he strongly sustains President Roosevelt's policy of pursuing a cautious and tentative course. His address closed with this warning:

> The conditions of our commercial life are, as I have said, the result in part of an evolution of forces of world-wide operation. They have developed gradually and are not, perhaps, fully understood. Laws regulating and controlling their operation before they ripen into a complete system of wise jurisprudence will be of gradual growth.

The address as a whole is a comprehensive statement of a complicated problem, with wise suggestions as to the best solution. The details are presented with such clearness and precision that the address will afford guidance to public opinion, and it will constitute a monument of developments of public policy fraught with immense importance to the national welfare.

ROOSEVELT CAN BE TRUSTED.

There are some difficulties to overcome yet before the anthracite miners' strike is settled. President Mitchell has seen fit to take the position that the proposition of the operators for a board of arbitration was not addressed to him and cannot be answered by him until he is officially brought into the discussion. This pronouncement indicates a possibility that he may destroy the reputation he has earned for broadness of vision by putting specific recognition of the miners' union above the welfare of the public and that of the miners for which he declares his tender solicitude.

From other quarters in the labor world there are objections. Samuel Gompers avers the dictation by the operators as to the men who shall compose the board of arbitration is an insult to President Roosevelt. William Dodds, local secretary of the mine workers, and other labor leaders protest that the operators have been unfair in proposing two men of their own class and none to represent the miners on the board. Of Mr. Gompers' view it may be said it is extreme. It would have been in better taste for the operators to have left the personnel of the commission entirely to President Roosevelt, but the assumption is not warranted that they intended to question either his ability or integrity. On the other hand the objection raised by the other labor leaders, though not so intended, amounts to the expression of a doubt that the president will be able to select an impartial commission under the limitations fixed.

Throughout the controversy the lack of confidence on either side in the good intentions of the other has been marked. That feature was noted by Carroll D. Wright, United States commissioner of labor, as a principal cause of the trouble. But this suspicion has no longer any place in the negotiations. The public, which is the greatest sufferer from the deadlock, has absolute confidence in President Roosevelt; in his sincerity, impartiality and ability to select a commission that will be both competent and fair. The requirements imposed by the operators in the composition of the tribunal will not prevent the proper representation of labor nor secure undue representation to the operators. President Mitchell and his associates may wisely leave all that to President Roosevelt.

There is no basis to the supposition that a mining engineer, as described, would necessarily be one who would favor the operators. The sociologist might be Ralph M. Easly, secretary of the Civic Federation; Carroll D. Wright, Jacob Riis or someone closely identified with the miners' union. As for recognition of the union by the operators that seems to be sufficiently provided for in the operators' proposition that there shall be no discrimination between union and non-union men when the miners return to work, and may be further acknowledged in the adoption of the proposed agreement for three years. It is no time for the miners' officials to split hairs on this point, for if they defeat President Roosevelt's efforts by narrowness of that sort they will surely lose their whole contention and the sympathy of the public besides. We believe they will soon see the matter in this light and accept—more gracefully than the operators have—the open course to a settlement with honor.

GENERAL CHAFFEE'S RECORD.

Gen. Adna R. Chaffee is coming home from the Philippines the latter part of the present month, and will doubtless be given a cordial welcome by his fellow countrymen, who have come to appreciate him at his true worth. His latest achievements in the Orient have been in keeping with the record of the man through a life of devoted military service. Chaffee has never been spectacular. He is as modest as he is one of the bravest men in the United States army. He began his military career at the foot of the ladder, as a private in the civil war, and worked his way by sheer dint of courage and hard service to the rank of lieutenant colonel. In Cuba he displayed fine soldierly qualities, but it was as commander of the American forces in China, during the siege of Peking by the Boxers, that he attracted the attention of the world by a display of tact, discretion and thorough military knowledge that won for the United States soldiers the highest praise.

When Chaffee was ordered to the Philippines he faced a harder problem than he had ever known. He made no boasts. He has kept within the lines of prescribed military reports in his communications to the war department. There has been no red fire burned in his conduct of the military affairs in the Philippines, but he has accomplished as much toward the establishment of permanent peace there as all his predecessors put together.

It is to Chaffee's quiet but vigorous efforts the nation is indebted for the suppression of abuses of military power, as well as the complete overthrow of native rebellion. This quiet, uncommunicative soldier has maintained all the splendid traditions of the American army. He should be given a hero's welcome home.

While the verdict of the coroner's jury in the Mayer case is death by accident, the testimony included a complete exposure of a speakeasy visited by the man before his tragic end. That resort is up to the Allegheny police quite as hard as the vice syndicate was some time ago to the Pittsburgh police, and it will be interesting to note what the North Side department does about it. If Allegheny police do not act promptly in the matter it is within the province of the district attorney to take cognizance of sworn evidence and bring it to the attention of the grand jury.

Apparently the Chicago board of health made much ado about nothing. They cited Dr. Lorenz, the eminent Vienna surgeon, to appear and show cause why he should not take out a license to practice medicine. Then they gave their action to the press. Dr. Lorenz quietly appeared and took out the license as he would have done upon a mere notification that it was the custom of the place.

A wireless message by the Marconi system has been successfully sent from a moving train in Canada. The result is not surprising, but is indicative of future development. It is also suggestive of the practicability of signaling danger to trains where it is impossible to flag them by persons or automatic signals.

Some of the Philadelphia papers have taken ex-Senator Flinn's initiative and referendum and his ballot reform quite seriously. Whether this is on account of their ignorance or for purposes of their own may appear later, but in Pittsburgh no one could be induced to take Flinn reforms as anything but a joke.

The Boer generals who visited Europe for the purpose of raising money to aid the suffering burghers of the Transvaal are said to be bitterly disappointed over the meager results obtained. Another illustration of the vast difference between hero worship and practical sympathy.

David B. Hill already finds that the New York Democratic platform is something of an elephant on his hands, and his rather lame efforts to apologize for and explain it show that he is not used to handling elephants.

The final report of the board of viewers upon Grant boulevard has been filed and the somewhat expensive incident is nearly closed. The boulevard is a great improvement and in time will be worth all it cost.

Western congressmen who are trying to explain their position with reference to Cuban reciprocity are having quite as strenuous a time as the statesmen who have been trying to settle the coal strike.

Ex-Queen Liliuokalani is coming to the United States in November. We trust the distinguished Hawaiian understands that things are different now.

Pittsburgh has had a chance during the past few months to even up things with those eastern humorists who have derided our soft coal smoke.

Pittsburgh is naturally quite proud of the contribution she made to the president's cabinet.

It is to be hoped that the beef trust will keep its hands off the Thanksgiving turkey.

Anthracite is in sight.

Lack of Authority.

From the Washington Times.

It is one of the deplorable results of a struggle like that now raging in the anthracite coal region that it discredits to so many minds the wisdom and efficacy of the American scheme of government. The embargo laid on coal production by the dissensions between the miners and the operators threatens the public with untold sufferings, losses and inconvenience, and the public turns with impatience for a remedy to a governmental system of such limited and guarded powers that any effort it may make to end a situation popularly held to be "intolerable" must virtually be confined to "moral suasion."

Indignation at the obstinacy and selfishness which have thrown the cost and burdens of the coal war on the general consumer is tempted, in consequence, to vent itself on the constitutional safeguards which hamper federal action. The general government's lack of authority to compel consideration for the public's needs and interests is deplored as an inherited constitutional weakness; and from many quarters public sentiment is urged to sustain an expansion of the federal power to limits undreamed of by the contrivers of the original federal scheme of checks and balances.

The Prospective Settlement.

From the Philadelphia Press.

Profound gratitude will be felt toward all concerned in this most difficult adjustment of conflicting interests on terms which would sow no seed of discontent in the future. The keen intellect, the penetrating analysis and the resource of Secretary Root have never had a more difficult task and never achieved a more grateful success than in the mediation with which he has been charged and which ended in bringing Mr. Morgan face to face with the president. But to President Roosevelt above all and beyond all belongs the glory, the credit and gratitude for the final adjustment of the bitterest conflict of our day.

GOTHAM AT SEA ABOUT THE STRIKE

Wiseacres, When Pinned Down to Definite Opinion Confess Ignorance.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square.
NEW YORK, Oct. 14.

New York is all abroad as to the status of the coal miners' strike. After it being generally believed that the trouble was practically over, there are all kinds of disquieting rumors tonight that the arbitration commission may not be accepted by President Mitchell, and that there may be a hanging on of the difficulty for an indefinite period. It is amazing to note how little is understood of the situation by the casual commentators one meets in the hotel corridors. While each man will say that he knows all about the premises and can draw satisfactory conclusions therefrom, when he is pinned down he will usually take refuge in a weak, "Well, I don't know what to think." That explains the feeling all over the city. No one seems to know what to think, and the chances are that this confusion will exist in the public mind until a definite statement of settlement is made by both sides of the controversy. J. Pierpont Morgan was smiling when he returned from Washington this afternoon, and that was taken as a good augury. Like Goldsmith's schoolmaster, when he smiles, everyone else becomes cheerful in sympathy. Probably greater hope of an end of the coal famine is based on Mr. Morgan's pleasant manner after his interview with President Roosevelt than on any other single feature of the situation since yesterday, although the smiling financier would not vouchsafe to interviewers any definite opinion—nor, in fact, any opinion at all. You can find as many persons to say that the strike is still far from a settlement as you can those who believe the opposite. Still, there is a hopeful sentiment in the air, notwithstanding that coal is still selling at some outrageous price a ton which most householders have not taken the trouble to note, because they have no intention of paying it, while flats and apartments are chill and cheerless as a rule. Poor people have the best of it. The depots established by coal operators, where coal can be bought at 15 cents a patiful, are doing a great business in the tenement districts, and the price of wood goes up steadily. Perhaps the end of the strike will have arrived by the time this is in print; but in spite of the general sanguine feeling, no one is willing to wager a dollar on the possibility.

Families Crowd Out Hotel Transients.

Hotelkeepers are so overwhelmed with guests that many were turned away today. The best known houses have been unable to accommodate all who would like rooms for several days, and the rush is becoming greater from hour to hour. October is always a busy month for New York hotels, but the managers never saw anything like the torrent of applicants that has rushed upon them in the last week. Of course, the reason is understood. With flats shut off from steam heat people are going to hotels to keep warm. Boarding houses are raising their prices and every place of public entertainment in the city is asking more for accommodations than ever they have before. The only exceptions are the Bowery 15 and 20-cent-a-night lodging houses, and they may push up their tariff an extra nickel unless the coal famine soon ends.

Macbeth "Librettos."

One of the peculiar adjuncts of a production of "Macbeth" at an East Side theater last week was the offering for sale between the acts of copies of the tragedy at 15 cents apiece, so that all in the audience might study it at their leisure and satisfy themselves that "Macbeth" was a well written play and at the same time make acquaintance with the immortal bard in print as well as over the footlights. There was a good sale of these books, indicating that Shakespeare is not so well known in that part of the city as Scott Marble, for instance.

Burglars Leave Silver for Coal.

It is not safe to leave one's coal cellar unlocked or unbarred nowadays. Over in a New Jersey town, close to New York, someone entered the cellar of an Episcopal church last night and stole several tons of coal. Although silver vessels and other valuables were in the church, the thieves knew what they wanted and gave all their attention to the coal, which in these days seems to be worth more than gold or silver.

Hurrying New East River Bridge.

The new East River bridge is being pushed along very fast. The Pennsylvania Steel Company has completed all the structural steel work on the Williamsburg—or Brooklyn—end of the bridge, and the workers have been brought over to Manhattan to work on this end. There is some regrading and leveling of streets to be done, which will delay the work to some extent, but the contractors have made up their minds that they must go ahead anyhow, to avoid heavy forfeits, and it is expected that the whole work will be done much nearer to the contract time than was hoped a few months ago.

Dissensions Over a "Mere Midway."

Trouble has found its way into the Woman's exhibition at Madison Square Garden. It all comes from the "Streets of Venice," which Mrs. A. M. Palmer, wife of the well-known theatrical manager, declares is a "mere Midway." Incidentally, it may be said that Mrs. Palmer has resigned from the Professional Women's League, of which excellent body she was the honorary president. The other members of the league think the "Streets of Venice" is a capital feature of the show, and that Billy Brady has done good work as director of the whole affair. The astute William A. only smiles. Catch him mixing up in women's quarrels if he can help it.

A Great Cakewalk Promised.

William A. Brady will manage a gigantic cakewalk at the Metropolitan opera house very soon. It will be under the auspices of the theatrical managers of this city as a body, and they will give the direction of it to Mr. Brady as the greatest cakewalk managerial expert in the country. Pittsburghers will remember that he managed a cakewalk in the old rink in Penn avenue, near Sixth street, some seven or eight years ago, and that it was declared to be a glorious example of pedestrian refinement and rag time harmony.

Bowery Bouncer's Last Battle.

There need not be any dismay because a "bouncer" was killed in the Bowery early this morning. There are plenty more of them. Although it is supposed that the Bowery has lost most of its "dives," there are still a number of hotels and saloons where a big-fisted, two-handed slugger, who can also use a club or a gun, is a necessary part of the equipment. The man killed today, known euphoniously as "Red Curran," seemed always spoiling for a fight, like all of his kind, and his end was the only logical one to which he could have looked forward.

Historical Wreck Discovered.

It is not thought that the government will allow the hulk of the old prison ship Jersey, just found in two fathoms of mud and water at the Brooklyn navy yard, to be raised. Historical societies, government surveys and other researches have never been able to find the sunken ship until it was come across by accident. It is thought that, owing to the delay its removal would cause to the new battleship, the old vessel will stay where it is for a year or two at least.

The Health Board Surrenders.

Soft coal can be used legally in New York city. The board of health has so determined, and the mayor told the board of aldermen so in a letter this afternoon. The board of health sees that it cannot help the use of soft coal while there is no anthracite to be obtained, and it makes a virtue of necessity by removing the ban. Considering that soft coal has been burned wholesale ever since the strike made anthracite scarce in New York, this belated action of the health authorities is ludicrous rather than impressive. There is a heavy blanket of black smoke over the city most of the time, but perhaps the health board has never noticed it officially.

Trolleys Respect Not Statesmen.

When a street car presumes to knock down a former secretary of the treasury, what can ordinary people expect in New York?" Charles S. Fairchild was the victim today. He is president of the New York Security and Trust Company at present, and, therefore, is an important man in metropolitan commerce. Happily it was a slower moving car than those on the trunk lines, or Mr. Fairchild might have been killed. As it was, a few bruises were the sum total of his injuries, and the motorman was saved a hasty trip to a prison cell.

Gone Daft on Mascagni.

Mascagni has driven a Hoboken woman out of her mind. Let it be said promptly, to prevent any misconception, that the famous composer is not to blame for the trouble, because he does not know the woman, and probably never heard of her till now; but she has been living in the Italian quarter, and has heard so much about Mascagni that she has slipped a mental cog and imagines that she is Mascagni. Her family and neighbors did not mind so much when she got on a chair and swung a broomstick for a baton as she led the "Cavaleria Rusticana" intermezzo, but when she began thumping people on the head to make them keep time, it was thought well to have her removed, and she is now in the insane asylum at Snake Hill.

Not a Hyde Park Mob.

There was a futile attempt to hold a "demonstration" in City Hall park today, but it did not materialize to any marked degree, because the purpose of the gathering, to protest against the passage of the Pennsylvania railroad tunnel franchise by the board of aldermen, was frustrated, for the aldermen did not consider the bill. They had so many other things before them that they had no time for tunnel franchises. Still, there were some speeches of a violent temper by one or two agitators, and the remarks were applauded by about 250 people. As a whole, however, the affair fizzled out ingloriously, and the promoters of the demonstration are not likely to try it again. Such gatherings may be effective in Hyde park, but the London disposition to gather in huge mobs and listen to casual orators does not seem to prevail in New York to an extent which warrants the calling of them together.

Health Officers Watch Cubans.

It is not always easy for a native of Cuba to get back into New York when once he has sailed away. The health authorities at this port are about as vigilant as they make them, and they can detect the presence of a threatening ailment in passengers from a foreign country apparently by instinct. J. Cabello used to live in New York, but he thought he would like to go to his old home in Cuba for a short stay. He came back six weeks ago, but was held up as a trachoma suspect. He was sent back, but tried again today to get into New York on the steamer Morro Castle. Once more he was stopped and sent to Ellis Island for examination. Cabello says he is all right, and his wife and children in Brooklyn corroborate him, but it will most likely be a week or two before he is allowed to join them, even if he is not sent "all the way" back to Havana to bring himself to a satisfactory physical condition.

Big Tim in Broadway.

Big Tim Sullivan, who is generally regarded as the real leader of Tammany hall, was on Broadway this afternoon. He is not often in that part of the city, because most of his political friends and adherents are on the East Side, but since "Big Tim" has been nominated for congress, he seems to think he should show himself in the "silk stocking" districts, and he may be seen often in Fifth avenue nowadays. On Broadway he is at home to a large extent, because a lot of his old cronies are there. It is whispered that he has an interest in more than one saloon and hotel on the "Great White Way," where sporting matters are much discussed. Although "Big Tim" never touched tobacco or intoxicating liquors in his life, he is an inveterate gambler, particularly in horse racing, so that he finds much congenial society when he strolls to the corner of Forty-second street and Broadway, and foregathers with the knowing-looking gentlemen who are fond of spending their leisure moments in that locality.

GEORGE C. JENKS.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

WALDORF-ASTORIA.
C. H. McKee. S. E. Gile.

HERALD SQUARE.
A. Graham.

IMPERIAL.
J. F. Hartley. E. Morrow.
Mrs. E. Morrow.

ROSSMORE.
G. A. Lashell. M. L. Solinger.
Mrs. G. A. Lashell. M. E. Sinerney.
Mrs. A. B. Byers. Mrs. E. M. Sinerney.

GRAND.
William B. Hough. A. F. Hadley.
M. I. Reddy.

HOLLAND.
C. P. Remington. H. P. Bope.
F. E. Richardson. Mrs. H. P. Bope.
A. M. Hartley. Mrs. F. Lea.
Mrs. A. M. Hartley.

GILSEY.
C. P. Morrow. J. N. Witherspoor
R. A. McKinney. J. C. Clow.
W. H. Downer. Mrs. J. C. Clow.

VICTORIA.
J. H. Skinner. F. N. Konold.
C. A. Birkle. Mrs. F. N. Konold.
J. A. Graham. R. A. Schiegel.

ALBEMARLE.
J. M. Fate, Jr. R. H. Christy.
Mrs. J. M. Fate. J. G. Simpson.
Mrs. J. G. Simpson.

FIFTH AVENUE.
W. L. McEwan. M. Riley.
L. M. Quinley. T. S. Hare.
K. B. Graham. W. J. Wood.

BROADWAY CENTRAL.
J. Wolsburg.

ASTOR.
A. C. Culchfield. L. Shinn.

No Political Capital in It.

From the Indianapolis Journal.

The attempt to make political capital out of the coal strike for the Democrats will not deceive sensible men. The truth is that all the efforts to adjust the troubles in the anthracite region have been made by Republicans—first by Senator Hanna and then by the president. The spokesman of the coal operators, President Baer, is a Democrat. It is one of the things that no party is responsible for at the present time.

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

The following persons are registered at the leading downtown hotels:

Monongahela—George Whyel, Uniontown; H. J. Lusk, New Castle; C. L. Snowden, Brownsville; J. K. Britt, Wheeling, W. Va.

Seventh Avenue—Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Smith, Wellsville, O.; H. C. Temple, Altoona; J. A. T. Hoy, Clarion; E. P. Chesebro, Petrolia; Clarence Walker, Butler; D. W. Jones, Latrobe; H. S. Robinson, Oil City.

Griswold—M. J. Martin, Greensburg; T. M. Miller, Altoona; J. W. Leech, Erie; Jason Clark, Morgantown.

Duquesne—C. D. Borland, H. C. Shipe, Monongahela City; H. P. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hennig, Parkersburg, W. Va.; A. Granville, Wheeling, W. Va.; E. J. Lee Rust, Somerset; W. E. Rice, Warren, O.

Nevell's—S. R. Steyner, Parkersburg, W. Va.; E. T. Fitch, Warren, O.; J. S. Gordon, Waynesboro; C. J. Huffman, Johnstown.

Victoria—J. J. Leydecker, Butler; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith, Miss M. L. Smith, Fairmont, W. Va.; Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Markle, Kittanning.

Lincoln—Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Baird, Greensburg; Miss Emilie Koos, Oil City; Lucy C. Smith, Dowie.

Henry—J. H. Craig, M. W. Johnson, Altoona; R. B. Naylor, Wheeling, W. Va.; C. J. Carow, Robert F. Glenn, Franklin; O. H. Strong, Oil City; F. E. Pennington, Vandergrift.

PERSONALS.

An interesting work on "The Canadian Men and Women of the Times" is devoted not only to biographies of living Canadians who have attained eminence in their own country, but to others who have written their names high in the United States. In this list appears the name of James L. Buchanan of Pittsburgh, who is a Canadian, born in Hamilton, Ont., where his early life was spent. Mr. Buchanan has been a Pittsburgher for two decades, coming here from Oil City, Pa., and has been so closely identified with the larger business interests of Pittsburgh and vicinity, banking and industrial, that he has become a Pittsburgher of Pittsburghers. Mr. Buchanan's father was a leading man in the affairs of the dominion, having been president of the executive council of Canada.

The annual business meeting and dinner of the Pittsburgh chapter of the Ohio States University Alumni association was held at the Hotel Duquesne last evening. About 40 members were present. The following officers were elected: President, W. H. Myers; vice president, H. Montgomery; secretary and treasurer, W. M. Fields. An elaborate dinner was served after the business meeting and the remainder of the evening was devoted to extemporaneous remarks upon the good times at college and college sports, interspersed with college songs.

Prof. C. E. Andre, a member of the unsuccessful Baldwin-Ziegler expedition to the North Pole, which recently returned, is spending a few days in Pittsburgh prior to returning to his home in Marion, O. He is an astronomer and botanist, and took the trip at the special request of Baldwin. Prof. Andre says the expedition was a failure largely on account of inferior sleds. They broke down and the expedition was forced to be abandoned.

R. B. Naylor and P. R. Callahan, projectors of the new evening paper at Wheeling, are in the city looking after the interests of the publication. It is expected that the Evening Telegraph will get started about November 15. The new paper will be independent in politics and will be especially strong locally. The promoters of the Telegraph have received much encouragement, and the paper is expected to be a go from the start.

R. J. Houston of Philadelphia, who is at the Hotel Victoria, announced last evening that his business in the city was to place several thousand dollars in bets upon the success of the Citizens party county ticket, and that he also had some to bet upon the election of Judge Pennypacker, but that so far he had been unable to have his propositions covered.

J. P. Keys, foreman of the Eliza furnaces of the Jones & Laughlin Steel Company, has returned to his home in Oakland from a three-months' vacation at Brookwayville and Punxsutawney. While on his vacation Mr. Keys suffered a severe attack of typhoid fever, but is now completely recovered.

Maj. Thomas S. Crago of the Second battalion, Tenth regiment, N. G. P., arrived in the city yesterday and registered at the Seventh Avenue hotel. He had been with his command at Shamokin, and was called to his home at Waynesburg on business.

THE DEATH ROLL.

Rev. J. A. Ballantyne Buried.

The funeral services over the remains of the Rev. James A. Ballantyne, presiding elder of the McKeesport district of the Methodist Episcopal church, who died at his home in Ross avenue, Wilkinsburg, Sunday, were held yesterday afternoon at the South Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, Wilkinsburg. The services were in charge of the Revs. G. W. Terbush, D. D., J. F. Murry, L. P. Mitchell, T. N. Boyle, D. D., J. Mechem and C. W. Smith, the latter being director of ceremonies. The services were attended by a large number of friends of the dead minister. The Revs. E. S. White, C. M. Miller, G. L. Smith, G. D. Cross, J. B. Taylor, J. Law, E. G. Loughrey and W. T. Braden, classmates of the deceased, acted as pallbearers. Interment was made in the mausoleum of Capt. J. B. Ford, in Allegheny Cemetery.

Carl F. O. Kellerman.

Carl F. O. Kellerman, 22 years old, son of Charles F. Kellerman, of No. 729 Hill avenue, Wilkinsburg, who went to Deming, N. M., two weeks ago for the benefit of his health, died in that city shortly after his arrival there. He was head bookkeeper for Dunlevy Bros. of Pittsburgh and was highly esteemed by his employers. In Wilkinsburg he was a social favorite. His father is connected with the Alemannia Insurance Company, Pittsburgh. Mr. Kellerman's remains arrived in Pittsburgh yesterday morning. The funeral will be conducted from the home in Wilkinsburg this afternoon.

Mrs. John K. Jolly.

Mrs. Emma Gertrude Jolly, wife of John K. Jolly, formerly of Jolly Bros & Co., railroad contractors, died at her home at Coraopolis Tuesday morning. She was 47 years old and is survived by three daughters and a son: Mrs. Coffin, wife of Dr. J. W. Coffin; Mrs. E. T. Fessenden of Beaver Falls, Miss Alice and Erskine Jolly, and one sister, Mrs. Kelly, who was the daughter of Samuel and Sara Jane Cameron of Pittsburgh. The services will be held at the family residence in Coraopolis this evening.

Christian Meyer.

Christian Meyer, aged 85, died suddenly at the home of his son, J. J. Meyer of Wiltmer station on the Pittsburgh & Western railroad, on Monday morning. Mr. Meyer was born in Switzerland. He came to the United States in 1851 and purchased a farm in O'Hara township, in which vicinity he resided for 11 years. In 1862 he removed to Pleasant Valley. He was a member of St. John's German Lutheran church, Eighth and Clay streets, Sharpsburg. Mr. Meyer is survived by two sons, Jacob and Samuel.

Ernest H. Hoobler.

Ernest H. Hoobler, 28 years old, died yesterday evening at the home of his uncle, John H. Crosley, No. 459 South Atlantic avenue, East End. He was a brother of Miss Hattie B. Hoobler, a teacher in the Fifth avenue high school. His remains will be taken to Uniontown, O., for interment tomorrow.

Joseph Reed Reynolds.

Joseph Reed Reynolds, 21 years old, son of Earnest L. Reynolds of No. 723 Oakwood street, died yesterday morning. He was a salesman, well known in the East End. He formerly resided in Oil City.

Obituary Notes.

Mrs. Mary Willery, 77 years old, wife of Henry Willery, is dead at the family home at Parassus, Pa.

Miss Margaret Sandrock, aged 45 years, is dead at the home of Frederick Heinz, No. 1023 Main street, Sharpsburg. She was a member of the German Lutheran church of Etna.

James B. Davis, 67 years old, a brother of Attorney Thomas H. Davis, is dead at the home of his son-in-law, David B. Wood, No. 707 Bingham street, South Side. He was a veteran of the civil war.

Mrs. Mary M. Harmon, aged 82, widow of Samuel Harmon of Ludwick, Pa., died Monday of pneumonia. She is survived by the following children: Aunt, superintendent of the Keystone Coal and Coke Company; William of Pittsburgh, Daniel of Carnegie, Mrs. David Evans, Mrs. John Holiday, Mrs. Amos Kiehl and Mrs. William Park of Ludwick.

Living Up for Sibley.

From the Oil City Blizzard.

It is extremely gratifying to note that many Republicans who withheld their support from Mr. Sibley in the last campaign are cordially for him now. They have discovered that Mr. Sibley is an upholder of Republican principles and policies, and besides lends his influence to the best interests of his district. They have ascertained that no man in Pennsylvania stands higher with the leaders of his party, and that his participation in national affairs is such that it counts. Mr. Sibley will be retured to congress with practically a united party at his back. He will, we believe, receive from the voters of his district a larger majority than any other candidate for the office ever received in this district. In thus honoring him the voters will honor themselves.

QUEER PETITION IN PREPARATION

Facetious Commuters Want Amusement While Waiting for Trains.

THERE is a prospect that Pennsylvania railroad officials will soon be confronted by an odd petition. The thing has been suggested "out the road" and is likely to become popular. The proposition is to petition the company to provide stations east of Pitcairn with ping-pong sets for the amusements of passengers who are waiting for delayed trains. The writer was told the preamble to the petition is to set forth that on account of the tremendous freight business passenger trains have been daily delayed from 20 minutes to two hours; that patrons of the road compelled to be at their depots on schedule time find the waiting very irksome; that realizing the difficulty the road is having to prevent stagnation of freight traffic they do not desire to enter any protest against the lateness of trains, or request additional service; that at the same time they dislike to absolutely lose so much time, therefore:

They have resolved to petition the company to supply ping-pong sets at each station for the entertainment of persons waiting for belated trains, and such persons only.

A good many things have fallen upon the railroad managers during the past 12 or 13 months as a result of their inability to handle the unprecedented tonnage of this region. But this petition is probably the oddest of the varied forms of protest against delays.

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"RATHER than deal with fractions on old friend of mine once lost a good bunch of money," said a Pittsburgh lumber dealer last night while telling stories of the days when large timber rafts were sent down the Alleghe

WILL INSIST ON UNION'S RIGHTS

Secretary Dodds of Pittsburgh Miners Says Men Will Accept Nothing Else.

TRIBUNAL IS ONE-SIDED

He Declares There Will Be Practically Two Coal Operators on It—Regards Morgan's Proposition as a Subterfuge.

"The men will not allow the ignoring or the elimination of their organization in any work of a tribunal brought together by President Roosevelt to settle the coal strike. The United Mine Workers of America are banded together and their organization has been made lawful by the laws of Pennsylvania. The miners have the right, the same as capitalists, to enter a combination. The anthracite coal operators in their proposals practically disregard the laws of the state by requesting a settlement by the companies with their own men, without regard to our organization, when they know the men are already combined and their organization cannot be broken. The United Mine Workers have as much right to demand that their organization deal only with the mine foremen, or the mine superintendents as the operators have to demand such a thing."

Mitchell's Judgment Relied On.

This was, in part, a statement made yesterday to The Gazette by William Dodds, secretary and treasurer of the Pittsburgh organization of the miners and regarded here by miners and operators as a conservative leader in the organization. Vice President Uriah Bellingham fully concurred in the statements. In his talk Secretary Dodds said:

"Mitchell is fully competent to decide the questions now before him, and I rely on his judgment to develop the best things under the circumstances. It is his affair almost alone, and it is not our place to discuss it.

"Personally, however, I look upon the proposition of the operators as an effort to swing public sympathy to their side. The adroit manner in which the propositions are set forth are calculated to bring people into a discussion of the plan of arbitration and to lose sight of the actual merit of the demands of the miners.

"They practically have chosen their own arbitration committee. The fair way would have been to let Mitchell choose two arbitrators, the operators two more, and these four, the fifth.

Operators Would Get Two Men.

"They propose as one of the members of this tribunal a man to be acquainted with the selling price of coal. Where can you find a man who knows all about the selling price of coal from various mining centers, who is not an operator? That's one operator the coal company presidents have chosen to start with. Another man they call for is an expert mining engineer. Such a man is of necessity dependent on the coal corporation for his living. He is practically a mine operator. That is two. As to the selection of a judge of the United States court in the eastern district of Pennsylvania, I have nothing against that. It is certainly possible to choose from among the judges of the east a man who would be fair and give an equitable decision.

"The operators are seeking the sympathy of the public and want to confuse the people by opening discussion on the matter of arbitration as they propose it, and which might be regarded as a liberal concession by outsiders.

"Let them meet squarely the issues for an eight-hour day, an advance in wages as justified by the selling price of coal, and an honest ton.

"Their proposition is intended to blindfold the public."

How the Railroads Benefit.

Business men yesterday in many instances declared that they do not expect Mitchell to accept the offers of the operators. One of the leading members of an important industrial concern in Pittsburgh declared that Mitchell could not be expected to accept a half-way proposition so long as the head of the federal government is working in his interest. He said:

"It is unfortunate that the federal government has become involved in this matter. Failure to settle will be the forerunner of a panic. The railroads, outside of the leading anthracite carriers, do not want the strike settled. A daylight ride between Pittsburgh and Philadelphia reveals scarcely anything but bituminous coal going east and empty steel cars coming west. The railroads are benefiting in the longer haul. They are not ready to supply cars to serve the lake trade. The coal concerns are interested in the railroads, and the scheme is being worked out in harmony. The scarcity of coal in the northwest will simply mean the long all-rail hauls during the winter, with the supply of coal exhausted in the spring when the contracts are closed, then will come the harvest for the coal producers."

Another Labor Leader's View.

Secretary John Williams of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers said yesterday that he expects Mitchell to insist that President Roosevelt be allowed to select his tribunal without the conditions imposed by the operators. "A military engineer, for instance, one of the five suggested, may have a theoretical knowledge of the relations between free labor and its employer, but the military practice teaches him to countenance the exercise of no individual right in the rank and file," said he.

WERE UNITED BY DEATH.

Two Brackenridge Men Go on a Spree and Both Lose Their Lives.

By the strange workings of fate two friends in life last night occupied adjoining slabs at the county morgue. They had gone on a spree together and both met death on the same railroad, but at different times.

Samuel Kaiser and Martin Klawa worked in an iron mill at Brackenridge. Several days ago they left home for a spree. After drinking together for a time, they separated. Monday night Klawa's body was found on the tracks of the West Penn railroad.

Kaiser had wandered back to Brackenridge and was arrested for drunkenness. Friends in search of the two men found him in the lockup. He was released and last night his body was found on a slab alongside of the one occupied by Klawa. Kaiser had been killed yesterday morning by a train on the West Penn, near Tarentum. Kaiser was 20 years old and Klawa was 33. Neither of the men was married.

Distinguished Guests Arrive.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—Among the passengers on the steamer Kronprinz Wilhelm from Bremen today were Katsunofke Jhouse, Japanese ambassador at Berlin; Eleonora Duse, the actress, and Mme. Sembrich, the singer.

Hunting Season Opens.

The opening of the hunting season today, caused a big demand yesterday for hunters' supplies. Local dealers declared yesterday to have been one of the largest days for the sale of these supplies ever experienced in the city.

MANSFIELD'S BRUTUS DRAMATIC SUCCESS

Great Ovation Given Actor and Production at First Presentation in Chicago Grand Opera House.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHICAGO, Oct. 14.—Richard Mansfield disclosed his revival of Shakespeare's tragedy, "Julius Caesar," tonight at the Grand opera house. It is a revelation of dramatic art. He has created a new Brutus.

His attitude in the orchard during the brewing of the conspiracy, his address to the mob in the forum, his quarrel scene, his encounter with Cassius' ghost and his death were all masterpieces.

The ovation was not alone for the actor. It was also for the artist who had reared an environment of superior artists, remarkably trained mobs of over 300 people, and mis-en-scene of bewildering beauty.

Mr. Mansfield secured models for the scenery and costumes from Sir Alma Tadema, R. A., and the pictorial element was the subject of much praise.

CITIZENS RALLIES ARE ENTHUSIASTIC

Hundreds of Workers for Reform Turn Out to Attend Meetings Everywhere.

Hundreds of Citizens party workers turned out last night to attend mass meetings. There was a large gathering at the Rose street school, Thirteenth ward, where campaign issues were discussed by H. K. Porter and others. There was a well-attended Citizens meeting at the Sunnyside school. Oakmont citizens turned out in large numbers to listen to addresses made in the public school hall.

The Miners' Glee club sang last night at a Citizens meeting held at Willock station, on the Baltimore & Ohio road. Hartigart hall, in the Seventh ward, Allegheny, was crowded to the doors with sturdy citizens of the North Side who are opposed to ring rule. It was the largest political gathering, perhaps, ever held in the ward.

Homestead's Citizens party workers have made great preparations for a big time tonight. There will be a street parade and a mass meeting at the opera house. The speakers will be Controller Larkin, James W. Brown, candidate for congress; John Jarrett, Attorney William B. Rodgers and George H. Stengel, candidate for county register.

The voters of the Sewickley valley will this evening attend a mass meeting of Citizens party workers at the Osborne school, Haysville station. Other Citizens party meetings will be held tonight at Castle Shannon and at Limehill school, in Wilkins township. Tomorrow night there will be a big meeting in the Second ward school, Lithgow avenue, Allegheny.

A Democratic mass meeting was held last night in the Sixth ward public school building, Allegheny. The Democratic organizations of the Nineteenth, Twentieth and Twenty-first wards have engaged rooms at No. 5095 Center avenue, in the Twentieth ward, where all committees will meet and each organization will transact its business.

BRINGS TEST CASE.

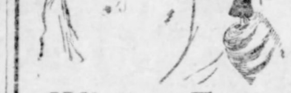
Albert S. Bigelow Sued to Recover Proceeds of 50,000 Shares of Dominion Copper Stock.

BOSTON, Oct. 14.—A sequel to the fight for control of the directorate of the old Dominion Copper Mining and Smelting Company last April, when a local firm of brokers displaced the Bigelow management, came today in the filing of a bill in equity in the supreme court against Albert S. Bigelow to recover the proceeds of 50,000 shares of stock.

It is alleged that the defendant, with the late Leonard Lewisohn of New York, took 80,000 shares of the stock in payment for four mining claims which have never been worked and which are of nominal value, and 20,000 shares in payment for their services and expenses as promoters of the company.

Committee's Errand Unnecessary.

DETROIT, Oct. 14.—Mayor Maybury announced today that, owing to the fact that a settlement of the coal strike seems near, and also because two members of the committee could not go, the committee of five, appointed to take the resolutions adopted at the interstate coal conference last Thursday to President Roosevelt, will not make the trip to Washington.



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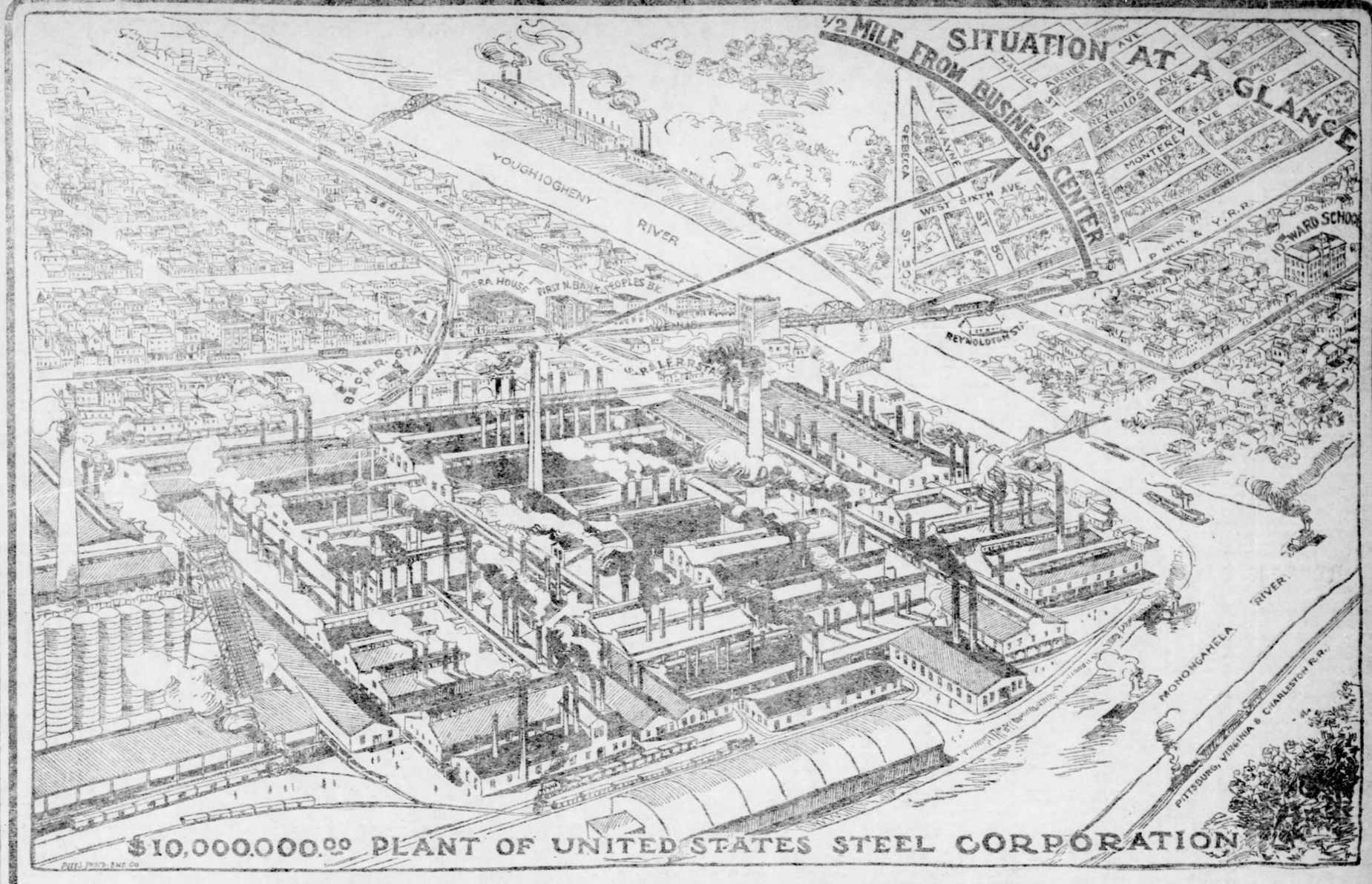

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Manufacturers' Light and Heat Company to Increase Capital $7,000,000.

HAS BOUGHT TWO ALLIES

Bare Control in Tri-State and Wetzel Companies Extended to Ownership—May Be After Natural of West Virginia.

The Manufacturers Light and Heat Company, which recently increased its capital stock issue from $5,000,000 to $5,000,000, and plans to arrange soon for an authorized issue of $12,000,000, has purchased all the stock in the Tri-State Gas Company of West Virginia and the Wetzel Gas Company, also of West Virginia. The stock issue of the Tri-State Company is $1,500,000 at par. Recently, when the Manufacturers company closed its deal in absorbing this and three other contemporaries, it bought simply a controlling interest, or 8,000 of the 15,000 shares. At the same time a bare majority of the Wetzel Gas Company stock, amounting to $300,000, was purchased and the rest has just been taken up.

The directors of the Manufacturers company met yesterday in the Chamber Commerce building and declared the regular quarterly dividend of 2 per cent and an extra dividend of ½ per cent. This establishes the report printed recently in The Gazette that the company would establish an annual dividend of 10 per cent at this meeting.

Dividend May Go Higher.

There was a report on the street that the next quarterly meeting of the directors will declare a dividend of 3 per cent, which would establish the stock on a dividend basis of 1 per cent a month.

On November 24 the stockholders of the company have been called to a special meeting to vote on a recommendation of the directors for an additional increase in the stock of the company. It was reported yesterday that the company is arranging to absorb the Natural Gas Company of West Virginia, which has a capital of $1,000,000, and a monopoly on the gas consuming trade of Wheeling and surrounding towns. Officers of both the Manufacturers company and the Natural Gas Company of West Virginia, who could speak authoritatively, could not be reached last night. A director of the Natural company said that he had no knowledge of such a move. Reports that the Fort Pitt Gas and the People's Natural Gas companies were to be merged with the Manufacturers have been denied by officials of all of these interests.

Officers Not Talking.

Officers refuse to discuss the purpose of all this, futher than that it means greater expansion of the Manufacturers company, which has been growing so rapidly recently and the extension of lines, including a new network of supply lines in the East End and some near boroughs not now reached by this company.

The company is now earning 36 per cent on its stock issue of $5,000,000. Last January the company paid a 6 per cent dividend on its stock issue, then of $2,500,000, and at the same time a stock cash dividend of 33 1-3 per cent was declared, making the stock issue $3,000,0000. In August the stock dividend was increased to the annual rate of 8 per cent, with the increase to 10 per cent following yesterday.

When the remaining $2,000,000 was issued last summer the proceeds went to purchase the companies already named and the Relief Gas Company and the Mutual Benefit Company of Washington, Pa. Earnings of the concerns now consolidated have already shown an increase of 50 per cent over last year. Now, the company is understood to be accumulating gross earnings at the rate of $1,800,000 a year.

President H. B. Beatty and the directors of the company leave today for an inspection of the West Virginia fields. It is understood that contracts will soon be let for extensions of the lines.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

Paul J. Brandt	Allegheny
Catherine Paulhaber	Washington, D. C.
Levi Lewis	Homestead
Lillian Percival	Homestead
Morris W. Evans	Oakdale
Mary E. Charlier	McDonald
John Matson	Youngstown, O.
Anna Olson	Munhall, Pa.
James S. McKinstry	Youngstown, O.
Mary Clarkson	Pittsburgh
Stephen V. Morgan	Sheradenville, Pa.
Mary V. Griffin	Pittsburgh
Frank Byers	Pittsburgh
Amelia Herrlich	Pittsburgh
Henry F. Weber	Allegheny
Elisabeth Greiner	Ross P. O.
Story P. Law	Sharpsburg
Marie E. Yagher	Sharpsburg
John J. Carroll	McKeesport
Annie M. Connely	McKeesport
Patrick J. Driscoll	Pittsburgh
Lilla O'Brien	Pittsburgh
Fred W. Young	Allegheny
Ida Bender	Allegheny
Patrick Maloy	Wilmerding
Rose Carroll	Wilmerding
L. Burrel Landis	Pitcairn
Nellie C. Johnston	Black Lick
John Wessins, Jr.	Pittsburgh
Margaret S. Reott	Pittsburgh
William E. Christy	Pittsburgh
Clara J. Jackson	Pittsburgh
George Mendel	Wheeling W. Va.
Gertrude Winsheimer	Greensburg
John C. Regan	Pittsburgh
Annie R. Conner	Pittsburgh
Oran A. Crawford	Allegheny
Katharine Neall	Allegheny
Walter Brooks	Pittsburgh
Fannie Plowden	Pittsburgh
Harlan A. Saunders	Allegheny
Estelle M. Freidhoff	Allegheny
Clark Turner	Pittsburgh
Mary E. Handenbah	Pittsburgh
William T. McCue	Allegheny
Mary Shahill	Allegheny
Jacob W. Shenkel	Pittsburgh
Sarah Beatrice Corcoran	Sheraden
Frederick W. Munster	Pittsburgh
Adam C. Buse	Sharpsburg, Pa.
Hugh S. Fullerton	Pittsburgh
Annie B. Baffie	Pittsburgh
Joseph Herzog	Allegheny
Theresia Haun	Allegheny
William A. Laagedale	McKeesport
Mary A. Stubbs	Pittsburgh
Thomas Gerstner	Pittsburgh
Ida Kemp	Pittsburgh
K. M. Wilkins	Pittsburgh
Hulda Assenberg	Cleveland
Thomas H. McGuire	Allegheny
Mary T. Daly	Allegheny
Frank P. Burr	Lyman P. O.
Frances Vildecker	Lyman P. O.
Charles Whitelegg	Homestead
Elizabeth Coleman	Homestead
Conrad Gitschier	Glenfield
Annie Cook	Allegheny
Richard Carrington	Pittsburgh
Mary Pinket	Pittsburgh
Nicholas Sterre	Sharpsburg
Mary M. Slater	Homestead
A. W. Swabey	West Newton
Lizzie Pippert	West Newton
John Rode	Pittsburgh
Elizabeth Meier	Allegheny
Howard L. Beck	Sheradenville
Lizzie Boals	Sheraden
James Stephenson	Emblem P. O.
Sarah J. O'Hara	Emblem P. O.
William P. Dawson	Allegheny
Annie Pinkerton	Allegheny
William J. Donovan	Pittsburgh
Elizabeth M. Poland	Pittsburg
Robert H. Ramacy	Cornopolis
Ella M. Jack	Moon P. O.
Louis G. Lange	West Homestead
Annie D. Ray	West Homestead
William Cameron	Pittsburgh
Katherine Dyde	Pittsburgh

Society

A WEDDING in Allegheny last evening which interested a large number of friends was that of Miss Jean Wallace Duncan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Duncan, and John A. MacDowell, son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. MacDowell. The wedding took place at the home of the bride in Observatory avenue and the marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. L. Wishart, pastor of the Eighth United Presbyterian church, Allegheny. The bride was given away by her father and was attended by her sister, Miss Agnes Duncan. Walter MacDowell, a brother of the bridegroom, was the best man. The guests included only a few intimate friends of the bride and bridegroom, beside the members of the two immediate families. The house was tastefully decorated with palms, ferns and white flowers. The bride wore a pretty wedding gown of white mousseline de sote trimmed with lace, and her flowers were white bride's roses and lilies of the valley. Her maid was gowned in white and carried a bouquet of pink roses. After the informal reception and supper the bride and bridegroom left for a short wedding trip. They will return to be at home after November 15 at 1951 Perrysville avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. MacDowell, the parents of the bridegroom, and Prof. and Mrs. John A. Brashear, his grandparents, will give a large reception in honor of the bride and bridegroom after their return from their wedding trip. The reception will be held at the home of Prof. and Mrs. Brashear in Perrysville avenue, Allegheny.

Ballie-Fullerton.

The Highland Presbyterian church was filled with guests last evening at the wedding of Miss Anna Bernice Ballie and Hugh G. S. Fullerton, which took place at 8 o'clock. The marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. C. P. Cheeseman, pastor of the church. The bride was given away by her father, Dickson Ballie, and her only attendant was Miss Frances Johnstone, who was maid of honor. J. Raymond Price was the best man, and the ushers were J. M. Edmundson, F. H. Ballie, a brother of the bride, and William Henderson. The church was decorated simply with tropical plants. The bride and her maid of honor were prettily gowned, the bride wearing a rose of white voile trimmed with duchess lace and carrying a shower bouquet of white bride's roses and lilies of the valley. The maid wore white and carried pink roses. The reception, which was planned to follow the ceremony at the church, was abandoned because of the recent death of a near relative of the bride's family. Among several out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Sheip and family of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Susan James of Oil City.

Club Reorganized.

The Tonquin club, composed of young people of the East End and Wilkinsburg, recently reorganized, admitting a number of new members. A series of euchres and dances will be given during the winter. The euchres will be held at the homes of the young women in the club, the first being announced to take place at the home of Miss Frieda Straub, North Negley avenue. This evening the first of the dances will be held in the South Highland auditorium on Thursday evening, October 23. The dance committee consists of George C. Martin, W. J. Powell, C. M. Hartford, E. C. Brinker, George W. Glassburn, Charles Stoup, H. C. Taylor, J. C. Fogwell and Lobbacus A. Watson.

Will Wed Today.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Crawford, Eighth avenue, Altoona, the wedding of their daughter, Miss Clara Margaret Orr, and James Brown Rider of Pittsburgh, will take place today. The Rev. S. C. Roth, pastor of the First Evangelical Lutheran church, will perform the marriage ceremony. Miss Carrie E. Moore of Altoona will be the bridesmaid and E. G. Orr, a brother of the bride, will be best man. Mr. Rider is a member of the executive force of the Pressed Steel Car Company. He and his bride will make their home in Pittsburgh.

Prof. Sparks' Lecture.

The second lecture of a series of six, to be given under the direction of the University Extension society, was held last evening in the Thaddeus Stevens public school hall, Main street, West End. The lecture was by Edwin E. Sparks, professor of American history, University of Chicago, and was largely attended. The general committee of the society is made up of prominent women and men as follows: Mrs. J. K. Evans, Mrs. James Howard, Miss Lillian Smith, Miss Alice Barnett, Mrs. Andrew McMaster, Mrs. W. T. Whitman, Miss Martha Parsons, Miss Gorbart, Prof. S. S. Baker, Mrs. T. D. Steen, Miss Agnes M. Elliott, Miss Anna Parsons, Prof. L. W. Colebank, Mrs. Donehoo, Mrs. Spelker, Mrs. John E. Wishart, the Rev. J. E. Wishart, Mrs. A. G. Parsons, Dudley Burroughs, Prof. Malcolm Lang, Andrew McMaster, James Howard, E. D. Smith, the Hon. J. A. Evans, William Gundelfinger, the Rev. Mr. Steed and Mrs. Steed.

Riggs-Charlesworth.

A pretty wedding took place last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Riggs of East McKeesport, the contracting parties being their daughter, Cora Riggs, and the Rev. Thomas Charlesworth. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Arthur Staples, president of Beaver college, and the Rev. M. B. Sloan of Beaver. Only members of the immediate families were present. The bride was a student of Beaver college and was an active worker in young people's church societies. The groom was pastor for the past two years of the Methodist Episcopal church of East McKeesport, and was appointed pastor at Addison, Somerset county, at the Pittsburgh conference Monday. The young couple left on an evening train for Canonsburg, and from there will go to their new field of labor at Addison.

Travelers in Mexico.

The Travelers club met yesterday afternoon at the Central Young Women's Christian association, it being the first regular club meeting of the year. So many of the club members went to Titusville to attend the State Federation of Pennsylvania Women that the program arranged for the day was much shortened and changed. Mrs. Joseph F. Reed read a paper on the "Toltec Empire and Civilization." The club is studying Mexico this year. Mrs. John L. Asmour discussed Mexican people and their customs, and Mrs. W. P. Price introduced "Current Events." Mrs. A. M. Watson is the club's delegate at the state meeting in Titusville.

Delightful Affairs in Sewickley.

There were two small but very pretty informal affairs in Sewickley yesterday. Mrs. Howard L. H. Blair of Bank street entertained about 20 members of the Edgeworth Whist club at her home, and Mrs. Edward A. Woods was hostess for a "French conversational" at her home in Grant street. Very dainty little cards were issued for invitations, all of which were in French. Her guests included the women who have been identified with the French clubs or classes of the Sewickley valley, principally from the Edgeworth club's French class.

Browning—Rodgers.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 14.—(Special.)—The wedding of Miss Dora White Browning, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Genge Browning of Philadelphia, to Z. Norwood Rodgers, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Rodgers of West Bellevue, Pa., took place today at noon in the Hotel Aldine. The Rev. R. A. Roderick performed the ceremony. One hundred and fifty guests were present from this city, Pittsburgh and Baltimore.

The bride was gowned in white satin, trimmed with old lace. She was attended by Miss Eleanor Browning, as maid of honor, and Pier Dannals was best man. After the ceremony there was a wedding breakfast and reception. Mr. and Mrs. Rodgers left tonight for a trip.

Those present from Pittsburgh were J. H. Rodgers and Mrs. Rodgers, William B. Rodgers and wife, Mrs. C. C. Rodgers, Misses Ida and Alice Rodgers, Masters Philip, Clay and William B. Rodgers, Jr., Miss Lottie Rodgers, Miss Clara A. Huneker, Miss May Agnew. The wedding guests attended a theater tonight.

Simpson—Roberts.

In the Washington Avenue Methodist Episcopal church yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock the wedding of Miss Mabel Irene Simpson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Simpson of Maple avenue, and Charles Swan Roberts, took place, the marriage ceremony being performed by the Rev. Mr. McIntyre, assisted by the Rev. J. T. Steffey. The ceremony at the church was followed by a reception at the home of the bride's parents. After a wedding trip to Virginia, Mr. Roberts and his bride will make their home in McLain avenue, being at home after November 1.

The attendants at the wedding included Miss Lucy Hays McIntyre, Miss Martha M. Swan, Miss Annie Jean Simpson, Miss Kathryn S. Martin, Miss Rebecca Shepard, Miss Effie Rankin and Miss Jeannette Ramsey, the bridesmaids; Edward Noel, the best man, and the ushers, Dr. C. C. Williams, Uriah C. Kramer, Milton V. Simpson and S. Leicester Duval. Mrs. Hoeffler played the wedding march.

Campbell—Hall.

A pretty social event was the marriage last evening of Miss Margaret LeRoy Campbell and Frederick Newton Hall at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Amelia Hall, Ross avenue, Wilkinsburg. The Rev. M. S. Kerdig of Wilmerding, an uncle of the bride, officiated. The bride's attendant was her sister, Miss Della Campbell. The flower girls were Misses Marsellis and Gertrude Wagoner of Irwin, cousins of the bride. Sherwin B. Harris of Wilkinsburg was best man. The decorations were pink and white. Mr. and Mrs. Hall left for the east last night, and upon their return, on November 1, will be at home at No. 411 Ross avenue. Mr. Hall is a popular young business man of Wilkinsburg and was a former resident of McKeesport.

New Cooking Course.

The Domestic Arts association will inaugurate a unique course of lessons in fancy cooking Friday morning at the training school, Forbes street and Halket, Oakland. The course comprises 12 lessons and it is announced that during that time the class will complete the practical demonstration of a 12-course dinner, each lesson to be devoted to the preparation of a course. Each dish will be prepared by each member of the class, and at the end of the course the last lesson will be given when the whole dinner will be prepared, served and eaten by the class.

Tally-Ho Parties Popular.

Yesterday Miss Nichol of Beaver street, Sewickley, entertained 20 of her friends with a tally-ho ride through the valley, stopping for dinner at Economy. Today Mrs. J. R. McFarland will give a tally-ho ride through the country, and luncheon at her handsome home on Sewickley heights. Tomorrow Mrs. James Cooper and Mrs. Charles Cooper will take their friends on a similar ride.

McAll Mission Meeting.

The Pittsburgh auxiliary of the McAll Mission of France, held its regular monthly meeting yesterday afternoon at the Twentieth Century club, Mrs. Charles H. Spencer, president of the local branch, presided. The resignation of Miss Anna M. Brown, the secretary, was presented and accepted, and Miss Elizabeth McCague was elected to fill the vacancy until the annual election in April.

Students' Elocution Contest.

A contest in elocution will be conducted this evening in Turner hall, Forbes street, by the students in Wilson's Preparatory school. An interesting program has been arranged.

Notes of Society.

The Brighton Country club will give the fourth and last of a series of garden parties at the club grounds on Friday evening, October 17.

Mrs. William A. Black gives a dinner this evening at her home in Graham street, Shadyside, in honor of Miss Elizabeth Campbell Sands, whose wedding will take place shortly. Covers will be laid for 20.

Mrs. Henry Preston entertained yesterday at her home in the East End.

The first of two afternoon card parties was given yesterday by the Misses Gerwig at their home in Allegheny.

Miss Florence M. Brown was hostess last evening at an informal reception in honor of Miss Emma Heys, national city secretary of the Young Women's Christian association, and a former secretary of the Central Young Women's Christian association of this city.

The Needlework Guild of Allegheny City will hold its annual ingathering at Carnegie hall, Allegheny, on Tuesday, November 11.

This afternoon Mrs. Eugene Murray of Shields will entertain in honor of Miss Hortense E. Watts, her cousin, whose marriage to Mr. Robert W. Dickson will be one of November's prettiest events. Today's affair is to take the form of a linen shower.

On Friday afternoon of this week Mrs. James Scott of Sewickley will entertain at her home with a 4 o'clock tea.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STATE COUNCIL

Daughters of Liberty Hear Reports of Officers and Make Nominations.

About 170 delegates attended the opening session of the annual convention of the state council of the Daughters of Liberty yesterday morning in Perry hall, First and James streets, Allegheny. Mrs. Lizzie M. Smith of Middletown, Pa., presided. Louis K. White, who represented Recorder Murphy, delivered an address of welcome. Charles W. Raymond, chairman of the appeal committee of the Daughters, responded. The Daughters then went into secret session. The morning session was adjourned at 12 o'clock.

The afternoon session opened with an attendance of 187 delegates. The reports of the state officers were read and approved. That of the state councilor, Mrs. Lizzie M. Smith, showed that during the year 12 new councils have been organized and that one council had surrendered its charter. There are in the state 165 councils, with a total membership of 271,000.

The report of the state secretary shows that the receipts during the year aggregated $156,655 47, and that $72,013 22 was paid out for benefits and reliefs and $73,-906 51 for other purposes.

The following nominations were made which will be voted for today:

State councilor, Frank D. Thompson, Allegheny; state associate councilor, Mrs. Kate Fasig, Reading. State vice councilor, Sallie I. Ball, Philadelphia; Nellie MacGowan, Philadelphia; Abbie N. Nesler, Philadelphia. State associate vice councilor, Mrs. Lydia Estell, Philadelphia. State guide, Mrs. Lizzie Duve, Pittsburgh; Mrs. Carrie Croup, Allegheny; Miss Mary Weaver, Irwin. State associate treasurer, Mrs. Harriet Seigfried, Pittsburgh; Ida Kuhn, Philadelphia; Mrs. Harriett White, Mahanoy City; Blanche Zugsmith, Allegheny. State associate secretary, Mary F. Wackesser, Allegheny; Mrs. Phillip F. Knorr, Shamokin; Mrs. Sarah Gray, Pittsburgh. State inside guide, Mary Weaver, Irwin; Mrs. Annie L. Bull, Pottstown; Gertrude Seidel, Neshopeck; Blanche Zugsmith, Allegheny. State outside guide, Annie M. Calvert, Williamsport; John W. Flocker, Allegheny.

National representatives, eastern district, seven to elect, J. M. Laverty, Abbie Nester, Jacob B. Hallowell, Deborah McMurtin, George L. Dumb, J. Bailey Harvey, Jennie Woodington, Minnie B. Davis, Joseph Bacon Cracken and William Clement, all of Philadelphia. Middle district, two to elect, Lizzie M. Smith, Middletown; B. P. Yinger, New Cumberland; Ida B. Solomon, Harrisburg; Ida Spoo, Lancaster; Frank Grim, Dallastown; Mrs. Harriett White, Mahanoy City. Western district, one to elect, W. E. Gelston, Pittsburgh, A. M. Fording, Pittsburgh; John W. Swoger, Allegheny; Maggie E. Woods, Pittsburgh.

The second of the series of pictures to be given FREE with the Sunday Gazette will appear next Sunday. It retails for $1.50.

In Woman's Domain

WOMEN BOYCOTT A CLUB.

They are having an exciting time in Dedham, Mass., for the Young Men's Bachelor club and the Dedham Old Maids' club are competing for popularity, and if they adhere to their present propaganda there will soon be a strained feeling in local society. The members of each club are pledged to boycott every member of the other club, and as both organizations are large and flourishing, the stock of young men and women available for parties and socials is seriously curtailed. The Spinsters' club was organized as a rebuke to the arrogance of the young men of the city in forming a bachelors' club. The members of the club have banded together for the express purpose of having nothing to do with the young men of Dedham who were rash enough to join the Bachelors' club. Since so many of the local youths will be on the black list, the girls expect to find their entertainment in the company and correspondence of men from other towns.

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FASHION'S FANCIES.

Richness and lavishness are the keynote of the whole. Some garments are literally trimmed "three deep"—embellishment upon embellishment. Never before has fine hand embroidery played so extensive and conspicuous a part upon every article of feminine attire. From the tip of the satin slipper to the top of the Gainsborough crown not an article of the wardrobe this season escapes this "charming wile of needle."

Suede and dressed kids of various colors, as well as more roughly prepared skips, are largely used in millinery, while ostrich tips, miniature quills and chiffon grace the slipper, and fur, of all well recognized sorts, is literally everywhere. While squirrel is the moment's fad, probably because gray in all tones is still so popular, there is scarcely a "reputable" fur that can this year be called really unfashionable.

"All London is in black and white" is the report, and, of course, fashion everywhere more or less reflects this phase. And because "all Paris is in tassel" every sort of pendant, swinging, tinkling object is added to the season's garments. Hence Bacchus reigns in the embellishment of the day. Grapes of every conceivable size and tint and texture droop gracefully from hat brim, coat collar, elbow, belt, skirt hem and instep.

Piping and stitched self-strapping are coming again into favor, and the chenilles of a generation ago, in braids, fringes and embroideries, are once more in the ascendant.

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SYMPATHY A CHARM.

"I'll tell you what her charm is," said Belinda. "It's sympathy. If you meet her this week and you casually mention that you've been running all over town trying to match a sample of gray cloth when you see her next week she'll say: 'Oh, by the by, did you match that sample?' It is the most astounding effect on one—this way she has of remembering the trivial things you have said. It bolsters up one's self-respect and makes one feel that she takes a real interest in such little affairs.

"As for the large things you tell her, she simply remembers every detail of them and draws you out gently concerning them, and applauds you when you have taken a proper stand, and condoles with you when you haven't. She pats you on the back in your successes and gives you little soft grasps of the hand when you have failed. She's always optimistic, and she never says 'I told you so' nor 'it served you right.' She's the queen of confidantes—for, if you tell her anything that's indiscreet, she never

An Autumn Suit Trimmed With Stitched Bands.

mentions it again, and to all intents and purposes she has forgotten it.

"She's a woman," finished Belinda in a burst of enthusiasm, "that I'd be willing to shop for, and now you know the full extent of my devotion for her and her virtues."

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THE AMERICAN WIFE.

But the American wife? Henry James has summed up the American wife in just one sentence. He says: "The American wife knows nothing of her husband's affairs—except that they are of not the slightest consequence." This is both epigrammatic and exactly true, says Ainslie's Magazine. The American wife has quite a genuine affection for her husband. Even after years of marriage have gone by she thinks of him with unaffected friendliness. He is so useful! She credits him with almost all the virtues, except, perhaps, the virtue of being interesting, and she overlooks that one defect of his with charitable toleration. She sees him come and go each day with clocklike regularity. She vaguely knows what his profession or vocation is. She thinks better of him if it is a profession or vocation that is generally regarded as quite creditable; but this is practically all she knows or cares about it.

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FOR THE HOUSEKEEPER.

Potatoes baked thoroughly, but not allowed to turn dark, are the best to be used for creamed potatoes.

A pinch of salt will make the white of an egg beat quicker, and a pinch of borax in cooked starch will make the clothes suffer and whiter.

Dish towels should be washed out in warm suds, rinsed and dried after each dish washing, and once a week they should go into the laundry.

English vegetable marrow is happily becoming more plentiful in the markets of this country. It is delicious boiled until it begins to be tender, drained, cut in slices and fried in butter.

NEW TEACHERS GRANTED.

Central Board of Education Gives Seven Schools More Help.

At the meeting of the central board of education last night Supt. Samuel Andrews reported 1,027 employed in September, with 41,774 pupils on the rolls. The kindergarten schools have 60 teachers and 1,732 enrolled pupils, and the industrial schools have 14 teachers and 912 pupils. The Kindergarten association was voted $2,500, the appropriation for that organization.

New teachers were granted as follows: Liberty, 3; Sterrett, 1; Minersville, 5; Beltzhoover, 1; Lincoln, 1; Brushton, 1, and Peebles, 2. Requests for additional teachers were made as follows: Colfax, 1; Peebles, 5; Howard, 1; Allen, 1; Brushton, 2; Washington, 1; Minersville, 3; Homewood, 3; Hiland, 4. All these were approved.

It was decided to close the schools on Friday, November 28, to allow the teachers to attend the annual institute.

The executive committee of the Teachers' Institute met and organized yesterday afternoon. Prof. Edward Rynearson was elected chairman and Prof. J. P. Stevens secretary.

COAL CONTRACTORS WEAKEN.

Declare They Cannot Supply Fuel to Navy as Quickly as Agreed.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 14.—While the excellent arrangements for the supply of coal to the navy which were made by Rear Admiral Bradford, chief of the naval bureau of equipment, still hold good in their entirety, the firms which agreed to furnish him coal are showing some disposition to modify their original agreements.

A Pocohontas company, which had agreed broadly to supply the navy 50,000 tons, now has declared that it cannot supply more than 11,000 tons a month. The big coal firms of Newport News find great difficulty in shipments because of the crush of steamers at the wharves.

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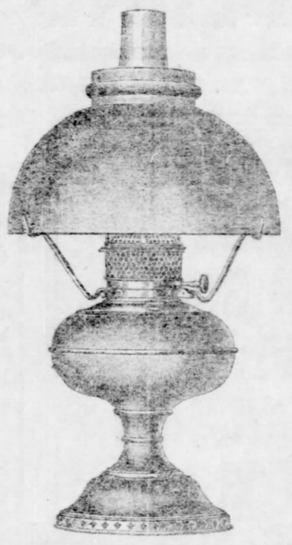

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The officials of the Standard Steel Car Company, accompanied by 40 capitalists and railroad men, yesterday made an inspection of the plant at Butler, Pa. This plant, recently built, is considered by all who examine it as one of the most modern industrial concerns in the country. Fifty-five acres are under roof and in no building, except the power house proper, is there a steam line, all power being either electrical, hydraulic or compressed air. Work was started on the foundations on April 14. On August 21 the first completed car was turned out. Throughout the building and grounds, 4¼ miles of railroad track have been laid.

The main building is a steel-and-iron structure, 1,620 feet in length and varying in width from 240 to 500 feet. At the southern end are the steel yard and the store rooms for axles, car wheels, castings, rivets and all other material entering into the construction of the car. These are assembled and the car leaves the other end of the building ready for painting. The paint shop parallels the main building and is 850 feet long and 80 feet wide. On the opposite side is the wooden car department, with a capacity of 20 cars a day, with wooden sides and tops and steel under-frames.

The development of the company has been wonderful. In less than six months it erected and placed upon the market structural steel cars which, it is claimed, are stronger and much more simple than any other type. Compared with the carrying capacity, they are lighter. One great point claimed for the cars manufactured by this company is that, being made largely of standard structural shapes, they can be repaired at any railroad shop, and it is not necessary to return them to the places of manufacture or to send to the manufacturers for special shapes.

The company has secured business to run the plant at its full capacity until July, 1903, having secured orders for cars from the following railroads: Chesapeake & Ohio, Oregon Short Line, Union Pacific, Chicago & Alton, Lehigh Valley, Mobile & Ohio, Erie railroad, Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, Northern Pacific, Southern Pacific, Philadelphia & Reading, Texas & New Orleans, Galveston, Harrisburg & San Antonio, Morgan's Louisiana & Texas, and Louisiana Western.

Among the guests on the trip yesterday were: G. W. West, superintendent of motive Power, New York, Ontario & Western; S. Higgins, mechanical superintendent Southern Railway; H. D. Taylor, superintendent motive power Lehigh Valley; W. P. Appleyard, master car builder New York, New Haven & Hartford; F. B. Smith, general master mechanic New York, New Haven & Hartford; C. A. Moore, H. H. Hewitt, Charles Hewitt, Charles Harris, J. B. Brady, R. L. Gordon, C. T. Schoen, E. A. Schoen, M. R. Lawrence, James B. Laughlin, L. G. Woods, W. L. Mellon, R. B. Mellon, Henry Aiken, W. H. Schoen, L. G. Hass, general superintendent Baltimore & Ohio; P. H. Utley, general manager Bessemer & Lake Erie; Col. J. M. Schoonmaker, general manager Pittsburgh & Lake Erie; L. H. Turner, superintendent of motive power of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie; A. McCroe, James B. Oliver, D. B. Oliver, G. H. Flinn, R. A. Bole, J. M. Hansen, H. J. Gearhart, and A. B. Fraser.

FOR BIG RESERVOIRS.

Engineer Wilkins Lets Contracts for Two in Coking Region to Cost $60,000.

William Glyde Wilkins, the Pittsburgh engineer and architect, has let contracts for two big water reservoirs to H. F. Stark of Greensburg. One of these is to be erected for the Southwest Water Company at Mt. Braddock farm, between Connellsville and Uniontown. This will be of 6,000,000 gallons capacity and will have a concrete bottom to be paved with vitrified brick. The water company supplies the coking works of the Oliver & Snyder Steel Company and the reservoir is to provide for a reserve supply of water in case the pumps break down.

For the Hecla Coke Company, H. F. Stark is to make the necessary excavations for a storage reservoir to hold 9,000,000 gallons. This will be located at Hecla, on the Sewickley spur of the Southwest branch of the Pennsylvania railroad. The expenditure on both these reservoirs will aggregate about $60,000.

STARTED AT MIDNIGHT.

American and Federation Window Glass Companies Resumed Operations.

Most of the factories of the American and the Federation Window Glass companies resumed operations last midnight after the suspension, since May 24. The pot factories of the American company in the gas belt of Indiana will start at 7 o'clock this morning, these operating only in daylight.

The report that the American company is to go ahead and install blowing machines without delay at all points, and thus throw out the majority of its skilled blowers and gatherers, is without foundation. The machines are now being operated in the plant at Alexandria, Ind., but improvements are being worked on and the time when the equipping of other factories with machines will be taken up is uncertain.

CHAIN OF PROMOTIONS.

All Caused by the Resignation of the Minister to Greece.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 14.—The following changes in the diplomatic corps have been announced by the state department: Henry L. Wilson, now minister to Chile, to be minister to Greece, in place of Charles S. Francis, resigned; John B. Jackson, now first secretary of embassy at Berlin, promoted to be minister to Chile in place of Mr. Wilson; H. Percival Dodge, now second secretary of embassy at Berlin, promoted to be first secretary in place of Mr. Jackson; R. F. Reynolds Hitt, now third secretary of embassy at Paris, promoted to be second secretary at Berlin in place of Mr. Dodge; Peter Augustus Jay of Rhode Island, appointed third secretary at Paris in place of Mr. Hitt.

All these changes hinged on the retirement of Mr. Francis as minister to Greece.

Nominations Declared Valid.

HARRISBURG, Oct. 14.—Owing to evidence being submitted and no objections filed, the Dauphin county court today declared valid the certificates of nomination of the following Municipal League party candidates of Philadelphia: For assemblymen, Robert E. Powell, Lewis K. Marr, Howard H. Derr, Clinton R. Woodruff, William H. Belcher, James S. Doolittle, Richard S. Thomas, Jr., and Roland S. Morris; for senator, Louis B. Runk.

TO BRING DR. EVANS BEFORE ACCUSERS

Detective Elmore Carries Requisition for a Promotor Charged With Swindle.

Detective William Elmore passed through Pittsburgh last night with requisition papers secured from Gov. Stone for Dr. John M. Evans, held at Youngstown, O., on charge of President Charles B. McLain and other Pittsburgh stockholders of the Keystone Copper and Gold Mining Company, that Evans has swindled them out of $41,000, and that he holds the deed in his own name for property bought out of the remainder of $60,000 sent to him to make the purchase. Evans will make a legal fight to prevent his being brought to Pittsburgh for hearing.

Clarence Burleigh, attorney for the Pittsburgh stockholders of the company, said yesterday that Evans should be extradited for the reason that the crime of which he is under arrest was virtually committed in Pittsburgh when he was here trying to interest people in the mine for which he now holds the deed. "Evans paid $45,000 in cash," said Mr. Burleigh, "got the deed for the property and still has it. He stole the other $41,000 and committed grand larceny."

Attorney G. H. Calvert, representing Evans, presented to Gov. Stone at the requisition hearing yesterday, a petition in which the prisoner denies the charges against him, asserting that the stock he is accused of taking was delivered to A. P. Gunther of Phoenix, Ariz., from whom the mining porperty was bought, and who afterwards sold the stock to the accused. Evans says that the mining property was not turned over to the Pittsburgh company because it is in litigation. He asserts that at no time has he been a fugitive from justice or has he committed any crime in Pennsylvania.

LOCAL CAPITAL NOTES.

Assistant Secretary Campbell Coming to Get His Degree.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 14.—Assistant Secretary of the Interior Campbell has gone to Washington, Pa., where tomorrow he will receive the degree of LL. D. from Washington and Jefferson college.

New postoffices have been established in Western Pennsylvania at Wireton, Allegheny county, Charles T. Castrique postmaster, and Inglesmith, Bedford county, Ingle Smith, postmaster.

West Virginia postmasters were appointed today as follows: Jane Lew, Lewis county, H. H. Knight; Pond Gap, Kanawha county, E. A. Fairchild.

These rural free delivery routes will be established in Tioga county, Pa., November 1: Nelson, two routes; length, 37¾ miles; population to be served, 814. Osceola, one route; length of route, 20 miles; population, 463.

AFTER JUSTICE OWENS.

Factory Inspector Rudolph Makes Charges Against Tarentum Officials.

George I. Rudolph, deputy state factory inspector, has entered suit through Alderman Schellman, Allegheny, against George T. Owens, justice of the peace of Tarentum, for alleged violations of the state factory laws.

These laws provide that before children between the ages of 13 and 16 can be employed in factories they must have certificates, sworn to before a justice of the peace, setting forth their age and other requirements. Rudolph has in his possession a number of certificates alleged to have been made by Owens for children under the age of 13, who can neither read nor write. The law provides for the imposition of a fine not exceeding $500 for violation of this section of the law.

BLAND DOLLARS ON TRIAL.

Supreme Court Case in Which Legal Tender Quality Is Tested.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 14.—An important case which raises the question of the constitutionality of the legal tender provisions of the Bland-Allison act of 1878, was submitted without argument in the United States supreme court today.

The case originated in Michigan in 1897. Stephen Baldwin was indebted to Frank A. Baker to the extent of $364, and in payment tendered 364 silver dollars. Baker refused to accept the silver, alleging that it was not legal money. Baldwin brought suit in the state courts of Michigan to compel acceptance, and those courts sustained his contention. Baker brought the case to the supreme court on a writ of error.

NEW MILITARY COMPANY.

Well-Known North Siders Forming Independent Organization.

Allegheny is to have an independent military organization. At a meeting of North Siders last night in Millers' hall, North avenue, a permanent organization, to be known as the "Central Independent Rifles," was formed. A committee was appointed to make application for a charter.

Among those interested are: Ex-Mayor Wyman, Drs. S. S. and Park Miller, J. C. Waite, George S. Lacock and Louis K. White. The company is to be an infantry organization of 100 members. Many of the young men in it are sons of G. A. R. veterans, and old members of the Heath Zouaves, prominent during the railroad riots of 1877. The organization will be perfected at a meeting next Monday night.

To Improve Hospital.

A meeting of the trustees of the Homeopathic hospital was held yesterday afternoon at which improvements, to cost $15,000 were authorized. New engines, boilers and elevators are to be put in and a commodious stable, to front in First avenue, will be built large enough to accommodate two ambulances and teams.

Dead Trees for Fuel.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Oct. 14.—(Special.)—The poor of the city may be permitted to cut up dead trees for fuel. Wherever the trees are decayed or nearly dead, they may be taken down.

TARIFF REFORM IS REAL ISSUE

Ex-President Cleveland Believes That Furnishes Democracy Its Great Opportunity.

NEW YORK PLEASES HIM

Thinks Party Can Win Next House of Representatives and it Would Be of Great Value to Democratic Success In Future.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, Oct. 14.—To a representative of the Evening Post, who asked him his views in regard to the outlook for and the duty of the Democracy in the approaching congressional elections, ex-President Grover Cleveland said:

"It seems to me that if the Democracy is really in earnest it cannot fail largely to increase its representation in the next congress, but in order to do so I think that there must be a constant and stalwart insistence upon the things which are recognized by all to be true Democratic doctrines. Of course, by far the most important of these is tariff reform. On this issue, I am satisfied that the Democracy is face to face with a great opportunity. All of the signs of the times point to a recognition, far beyond all party lines, of the benefits which would accrue to the people by a readjustment of the tariff, and it would be worse than folly for the party under the stress of any temptation or yielding to any allurement to permit this to be subordinate to or overshadowed by any other issue.

"I am very much pleased with the deliverance of the New York Democracy on the tariff issue, and it was fit and proper that the Empire State should sound the right note. It is my clear conviction that the best assurance of success for the Democracy in the next national campaign will be found in a sincere and unremitting insistence upon its old-time doctrine of a fair and beneficent tariff adjustment.

"I am at a loss to understand by what process of reasoning the notion has gained a footing in certain Democratic quarters not only that no importance attaches to a Democratic ascendancy in the next house of representatives, but even that it might be advantageous to party prospects in 1904 for it to continue in its present minority now. Political warfare ought to be regarded continuous, and if the results battled for are worth having at all, they are worthy of our best efforts at all times and under all circumstances. Constant vigilance and unrelenting attack are essential to victory. Armies are captured by first driving in the outposts.

"I cannot believe that the bright prospects of the Democracy in the present campaign are to be marred by any lack of hard work and strenuous fighting."

Thought Policeman a Burglar.

Policeman Peter McCullouch of East End was taken for a burglar yesterday morning and narrowly escaped being shot. He found the front door of a milk depot, conducted by I. L. Thomas, at No. 133 Frankstown avenue, open. Thinking some one had entered the building he proceeded to investigate. He opened Mr. Thomas' bedroom door and the shining barrel of a revolver was thrust in his face. Mr. Thomas had heard some one in the building, and thinking a burglar had broken in, prepared to defend himself. An explanation was made in time to avoid a tragedy.

Deaths of a Week.

The Pittsburgh bureau of health reports 124 deaths for the week ending October 11. Pneumonia caused 12 deaths and typhoid fever 11. Pulmonary tuberculosis caused 10 and diphtheria and croup 7. There were reported 38 cases of typhoid fever, 26 of diphtheria, 17 of smallpox and 10 of scarlet fever. Five cases of typhoid fever and five of diphtheria were reported to the bureau of health yesterday.

Out of Work for Want of Fuel.

NEW BRIGHTON, S. I., Oct. 14.—The J. B. King plaster mills at this place shut down today on account of the lack of coal. The company, which employs 500 men, has been using soft coal, but now cannot even get that.

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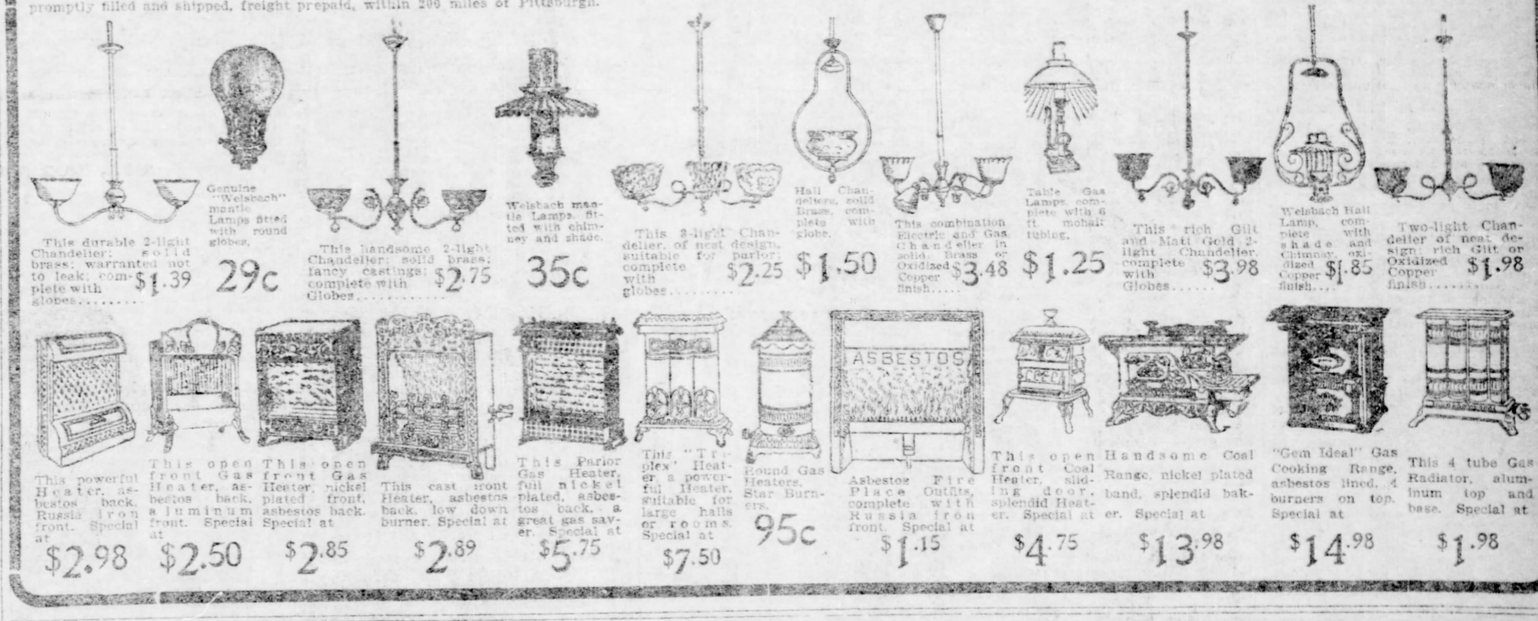

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ATTORNEY GENERAL KNOX DISCUSSES POWER OF CONGRESS TO REGULATE THE OPERATIONS OF GREAT COMBINATIONS

THE great address delivered last evening by Attorney General Knox on "The Commerce Clause of the Constitution and the Trusts," before the members of the chamber of commerce at the Hotel Schenley, is herewith published in full. The address was carefully prepared and was probably read in advance by President Roosevelt. It is well understood that the views expressed are those of the president, as well as of the attorney general.

The whole tenor of the address is that the Sherman anti-trust law, based on the clause of the Constitution empowering congress to regulate commerce between the states, is inadequate to deal with present conditions. But the attorney general holds that this law does not exhaust the power of congress, and that the very nature of government warrants further legislation demanded for the preservation of the national life. In the course of the address the attorney general says:

"There are evils in trusts, chief of which are over-capitalization, lack of publicity of operation, insufficient personal responsibility of officers and directors, and lack of appreciation of their relations to the people." He devotes some attention to the details of these several evils.

May Go Beyond the Sherman Act.

Again he says: "The corporations upon which the people depend for the necessities of life should be required to conduct their business so as regularly and reasonably to supply the public needs."

"Congress has power by its regulation to protect commerce between the states from being restrained by corporations engaged in interstate trade when their purpose or effect is to destroy the freedom of such interstate trade."

"If the Sherman act exhausts the power of congress over monopolies, the American people find themselves impotent."

"May not congress amend and extend the law, and so effectively regulate national and foreign commerce as to prevent the stifling of competition, the regulation of output and price and the restraining of national and international trade?"

Mr. Knox does not say flatly that he thinks congress may do so, but he makes it clear that this view inclines toward the affirmative. He says that much uncertainty exists concerning the power of congress and the decision the highest court would make on such legislation as he suggests, but he argues that the nation must attempt further legislation in its own defense and for the safety of society. The latter half of his address is devoted to showing what has been attempted and accomplished by the government in the various suits that have been prosecuted under the Sherman law. He reveals many defects and weaknesses in the law when efforts are made to put it into effect. The address follows:

Why Trusts Are Called Such.

The people, by common consent, have denominated the great industrial and other corporations, now controlling many branches of commercial business, trusts. The technical accuracy of the term is unimportant, but indeed it is much more apt than might be supposed, when it is recalled that the essential difference between the old industrial trusts and the great corporations owning and controlling subsidiary ones is that in respect to the former the shares of independent corporations agreeing to act in harmony were lodged with a trustee who received the separate earnings and distributed them among the holders of trust certificates, while as to the latter, a corporation is created to take over the title to the stock or properties of the constituent companies and issue its own shares as the evidence of interest in the combination. The corporate organization of corporations invokes specific legal authority from the legislature of the state under which it is created.

The president, in his first message to congress, said:

"There is the deep-seated, settled conviction in the minds of the American people that these trusts are, in many of their features and tendencies, hurtful to the general welfare. This springs from no spirit of envy or unfriendliness, nor lack of pride in the great industrial achievements that have placed the country at the head of the nations struggling for commercial supremacy. It does not rest upon lack of intelligent appreciation of the necessity of meeting changing and changed conditions of trade with new methods, nor upon ignorance of the fact that the combination of capital and effort to accomplish great things is necessary when the world's progress is demanding that great things be done. It is bottomed upon sincere conviction that combination and concentration, while need to be prohibited, is to be controlled, and in my judgment this conviction is right.

American Accustomed to Large Things.

These great combinations, now numbering thousands, are the instrumentalities of modern commercial activity. Their number and size alone appall no healthy American. We are accustomed to large things and to do them in a large way. We are accustomed to speak with a justifiable pride of our great institutions and what, chiefly, of the capital employed through them. No right-thinking man desires to impair the efficiency of the great corporations as instrumentalities of national commercial development. Because they are great and prosperous is no reason for their destruction. If that greatness and prosperity are not the result of the defiance of the natural rights or recorded will of the people, there is no just cause of complaint.

That there are evils and abuses in trust, pretended, in many organizations, methods, management, and effects none questions except those who have profited by those evils. That all or any of these abuses are to be found in every large organization called a trust no one would assert who valued his reputation for sane judgment.

The conspicuous noxious features of trusts existent and possible are these: Over capitalization, lack of publicity or operation, discrimination in prices to destroy competition, insufficient personal responsibility of officers and directors for corporate management, tendency to monopoly and lack of appreciation in their management of their relations to the people, for whose benefit they are permitted to exist.

Overcapitalization Is a Fraud.

Overcapitalization is the chief of these and the source from which the minor ones flow. It is the possibility of overcapitalization that furnishes the temptations and opportunities for most of the others. Overcapitalization does not mean large capitalization or capitalization adequate for the great undertakings. It is the imposition upon the undertaking of a liability without a corresponding asset to represent it. **Therefore overcapitalization is a fraud upon those who contribute the real capital either originally or by purchase, and the efforts to realize dividends thereon from operations is a fraudulent imposition of a burden upon the public.** When a property worth $1,000,000 upon all the sober tests of value is capitalized at $5,000,000 and sold to the public, it is rational to assume that its purchasers will exert every effort to keep its earnings up to the basis of their capitalization. When the inevitable depression comes, wages must be reduced, prices enhanced, or dividends foregone. As prices are naturally not increased but lowered in dull periods, it usually resolves itself into a question of wages or dividends.

While this condition may exist under any circumstances, it is exaggerated by overcapitalization in the illustrating case five to one. The overcapitalized securities enter into the general budget of the country, are bought and sold; rise and fall, and they fluctuate between wider ranges, and are more sensitive in proportion as they are further removed from intrinsic values, and, in short, are liable to be storm centers of financial disturbances of far-reaching consequence. They also, in the same proportion, increase the temptation to mismanagement and manipulation by corporate administrators.

Discrimination Not Allowable.

Corporations and joint stock or other associations, depending upon any statutory law for their existence or privileges, trading beyond their own state, should be required to do business in every state and locality upon precisely the same terms and conditions. There should be no discrimination in prices; no preferences in service. **Such corporations serving the public as carriers and in similar capacities should be compelled to keep the avenues of commerce free and open to all upon the same terms and to observe the law as to its injunctions against stifling competition. Moreover, corporations upon which the people depend for the necessities of life should be required to conduct their business so as regularly and reasonably to supply the public needs.**

They should be subject to visitorial supervision and full and accurate information as to their operations should be made regularly at reasonable intervals. Secrecy in the conduct and results of operation is unfair to the non-managing stockholders, and should, as well for reasons of state, be prohibited by law.

If these serious evils were eradicated and a higher measure of administrative responsibility required in corporate officers, a long step would be taken toward allaying the reasonable apprehension that the merger movement and the trusts will result in practical monopoly of the important business of the country.

Less difficulty is encountered in describing the mischief of trusts than in suggesting a rational and practical remedy.

The constitution provides (sec. 8, art. 3): "The congress shall have power 'to regulate commerce with foreign nations and among the several states and with the Indian tribes.'"

Sugar Trust Suit Recalled.

Congress (July 2, 1890) enacted that every contract, combination in the form of a trust or otherwise, or conspiracy in restraint of trade or commerce among the several states, is illegal, providing punishments and conferring jurisdiction upon federal circuit courts to prevent and restrain violations of the act. It was commonly supposed at the time of the passage of this act that its provisions forbade the existence of trusts that were engaged in monopolizing the production throughout the country of various articles of general consumption, and the government shared in this view. Action was begun by the United States against what was known as the Sugar trust. This was a corporation of the state of New Jersey, which had acquired the stock of a number of sugar-refining corporations in another state by an exchange of its own shares for the shares of the unwilling stockholders of those companies. It was formed, as its charter stated, for the purpose of "buying, manufacturing, refining and selling sugar in different parts of the country." The government's contention was that the purpose of the purchase was to acquire a substantial monopoly of sugar refining, and as the product was for sale and distribution among the states and foreign countries, and the arrangement was a violation of the law cited. The contract challenged was one vesting in the trust the last of the independent refineries but one in the United States, thereby giving it the almost complete monopoly of the industry of life. Its control was 98 per cent of the whole. The supreme court decided that as the monopoly was in the production or manufacture of sugar and its sale or distribution among states and to foreign countries was but incidental thereto, it was not within the prohibition of the law, saying that manufacturing, although it precedes commerce, is not a part of it, and that the act only applied to restraints of commerce.

This distinction is easily understood when it is recollected that commerce means intercourse, transmission, communication, transportation, and commerce among the states, the regulation of which rests in the federal power, means, as the term implies, that this intercourse shall be between or among the states.

Manufacturing, on the other hand, does not imply, or necessitate, intercourse among the states, but implies a situs or place for its operations.

Pipe Combination Destroyed.

In a subsequent case the government destroyed a combination known as the Addyston Pipe Combination, but upon the ground that it was a conspiracy among independent producers of pipe to restrain its sale and distribution among the states. The combination in this case operated directly upon interstate commerce.

These cases seem to define the scope of the anti-trust law and show how little it has done to stop the growth of the trusts formed to restrain or monopolize business within a state or destroys competition in buying or selling within a state, or that by any of these things it indirectly affects interstate commerce with a practical restraint or monopoly, to bring the corporation or its particular transaction within the emphatic clauses or under the drastic penalties of the anti-trust law. **What seems to be necessary is to establish by legal proof in court a combination for the direct monopolizing or restraining of what is strictly interstate commerce, and to prove this against combinations whose affairs are conducted upon the best legal advice as to what is and what is not obnoxious to the law, by methods secret or ingeniously contrived to avoid the letter of the law.**

What Power Congress Has.

I want to call your attention to this law, not in a spirit of criticism, but to show you clearly how far it went and where it stopped.

It undertook to invalidate all attempts to monopolize interstate commerce, which includes, among other things mentioned, transportation. It does not invalidate monopolies of production or regulate commerce in such a way as to free it from the restraints such monopolies indirectly impose. The court did not say that these indirect effects upon interstate commerce could not be prevented by congress. It is earnestly contended by many that as it stands this law expresses the limit of federal power in that direction. **But has not congress the power by its regulation to protect commerce between the states from being restrained by state corporations and combinations engaged in interstate trade, when their purpose or effect is to destroy the freedom of such interstate trade, and when their operations are besides injurious to the general public?**

Regulation under such a power would not interfere with mere production, or the power of the state over production. It would only affect them remotely and incidentally, just as a monopoly that produces all or most of a certain line of goods affects commerce indirectly.

If it be true that a state can authorize or permit a monopoly of production within its borders because it has the power over production as such, although it indirectly affects interstate commerce, may not the United States regulate interstate commerce over which it has exclusive control, even though it indirectly affects production, over which as such, it has no control?

Alarming Situation Ahead.

If congress under its power to regulate interstate commerce may utterly destroy a combination and forfeit its property in interstate transit, as the Sherman act provides, because it restrains such commerce, it seems reasonable to say that it can in the exercise of the same power deny to a combination whose life it can not reach the privilege of engaging in interstate commerce except upon such terms as congress may prescribe to protect that commerce from restraint. Such a regulation would operate directly upon commerce and only indirectly upon the instrumentalities and operations of production.

If the Sherman act exhausts the power of congress over monopolies, the American people find themselves hopelessly impotent, facing a situation fraught with the most alarming possibilities, with which neither the federal nor state governments can deal.

While states may regulate the production and sale of articles within their own borders, at these borders their authority ceases.

Jefferson, in his letter of March 15, 1789, to Madison, says of the Constitution: "This instrument forms us into one state as to certain objects, and gives us a legislative and executive body for those objects."

One hundred years later the supreme court of the United States declared "that in the matter of interstate commerce the United States are but one country, and are and must be subject to one system of regulations, and not to a multitude of systems."

These are illuminating and vital statements of the original purpose, in founding this government, to provide for national control of intercourse, and of the extent of the national power over it. These statements were made, respectively, by that great leader of the constructive period who was most jealous for the reserved rights of the states against the encroachment of the new national sovereignty, and by one of the wisest judges who have interpreted the Constitution's purposes and meaning.

Government Is Not Helpless.

In the light of such statements, then, can it be possible that the people of the United States, feeling the pressure of undoubted evils, are nevertheless totally powerless? Is it true that although they know with growing certainty the nature of the wrong and are seeking a remedy, the constitution of the country will not permit them to pursue it; that amendment to that charter is first necessary; that the power of congress does not now extend over detriments injuring the entire body of citizens in their most vital concerns, the freedom of trade in originate in the states—although the states in the aggregate, and by the co-operation which is essential, do nothing effective to remove them? **I do not believe that we find ourselves so helpless. When the currents of monopoly evil obviously flow out over state lines and lower the country, not only entering but largely filling the channels of interstate and foreign trade, it will not do to say that the evil is beyond the national reach,** and that because the first step which may lead to the evil is production, which must have a fixed situs within a state, the states alone may deal with it.

If the states are powerless for some purposes, as Jefferson said, with full legislative and executive power, and exclusive regulations of interstate commerce is one of these purposes, as the supreme court has decided, it would seem monstrous to urge that congress and the executive under its authority are powerless utterly to deal with evils that use the channels of interstate commerce made use of to the injury of the people by monopolistic combinations.

Plainly the power must reside somewhere, either in the nation or in the states' reservations; but the effect of present doubts is to create a dilemma under which, apparently, all power vanishes, the states saying, Some of us do and some of us do not approve of trusts, but monopolistic production that is our concern, but when the products cross our boarders and control, and the nation appearing to reply:

Can't Touch State Matters.

"I can deal with commerce passing beyond any one state, but effective regulation here may indirectly interfere with production, and that is a state matter which I may not touch." And so the national and local sovereignties halt and the delictum escapes. The supreme court has characterized the power of congress to regulate interstate commerce as the regulation and sometimes auxiliary power to tax, in terms broad and absolute; it has defined this commerce in language which is inclusive of all phases of interstate intercourse, exchange, and trade; it has merely said that production, even though the initial phase of modern consolidations which primarily, at least, regards production alone, is not such commerce. I do not think it can be said that the court has gone beyond this point.

Conceding that the present law is not effective throughout the situation, we come to the final alternative. May not congress, under the existing constitutional grants, amend and extend the law, and thus remedy the defects and so effectively regulate national and foreign commerce as to prevent the stifling of competition, the regulation of output and price, and the restraining of national and international trade? If the answer to this question should be in the affirmative, a second question follows: How might congress so amend the present law?

I do not scruple to say that in my judgment the more a thoughtful mind reflects on the first question, the more unhesitatingly will an affirmative answer be returned.

That regulation by congress in this way would indirectly or remotely affect production would be no bar. This very point of the Sugar trust case was that a consolidation scheme or combination might affect to commerce, or might indirectly or remotely affect commerce, but did not for that reason invoke the federal power over commerce; and the illustration from the conveyance of real estate is significant on the point just stated.

Congress Can Regulate Commerce.

Congress under this power prevents the importation or transportation of articles deemed injurious to the general welfare. Thus the laws subject the movement of explosives to safeguards and burdens, absolutely excludes lottery tickets and diseased cattle, convicts and contract labor, and scrutinizes and prevents or checks many foreign and interstate movements, throughout the entire field of interstate and foreign intercourse, always in the interest of all the people, on grounds of commercial, hygienic or ethical policy. Who shall set limits now, in advance of a carefully framed and judicially tested law, to the independent power to regulate commerce in the way suggested in the exercise of the legislative wisdom and in the wide discretion confided to it? Who shall say that the power of congress does not extend so far? I think it does. I am quite sure no one can now say that it does not.

Every constitutional question is an open one until it is authoritatively closed by a decision of the supreme court.

The president said in his first message he did not think the authority of congress to protect the people against the evils of the trusts had been exhausted. The views I have expressed are but an amplification of his.

Public sentiment is sufficiently aroused and the situation is sufficiently grave to call for the effort the president is making to secure an authoritative exposition of existing laws, and suggesting additional ones to the end that the public mind shall be set at rest and these economic questions taken from the domain of controversy and uncertainty.

And now a word as to what has been undertaken and accomplished under many and peculiar embarrassments in the way of executing existing laws.

How Western Roads Combined.

In the early part of this year it came to the knowledge of the president that great railway systems in the middle west, upon which every section of the country is dependent for the movement of breadstuffs, had entered into unlawful agreements to transport the shipments of a few favored grain buyers at rates much below the tariff charges imposed upon smaller dealers and the general public. This injustice prevailed to such an extent and for so long a time that most of the smaller shippers had been driven from the field, and the business formerly enjoyed by them absorbed by a limited number of persons, who received secret and preferential rates. In a word, there was practically only one buyer on each railway system, and the illegal advantages he secured from the carrier gave him a monopoly of the grain trade on the line with which his secret compact was made.

In the earlier period of this discriminating practice it is probably true that the producer obtained a price for his grain slightly in excess of its market value at the place of shipment; but that result followed only during the short time that the non-favored dealer continued in business. When he was forced to the wall, as he soon was, the only buyer whom the producer could reach was the party who had bargained with the carrier for an unlawful rate. Thus competition in the grain business was destroyed and the price actually realized by the farmer was frequently less than the proper market value. A favored middleman, by connivance with the railroad, monopolized the grain products of a large area of country, and virtually fixed the price both to the producer and the consumer. It was an odious condition. Nor does this describe the full measure of wrongdoing. It reached the centers of trade and affected related industries with more or less disaster. In Kansas City, for example, it was asserted that local dealers had been excluded from participation in the grain trade; that their elevators for the storage and trans-shipment of grain, built at great expense for the demands of an important market, had been deprived of business; and that large numbers of laborers had lost employment and remained in idleness, solely because of the diversion of business from its natural channels as the result of this forbidden monopoly in the purchase and transportation of grain.

Suits Promptly Entered.

The board of trade of that city presented a complaint to the interstate commerce commission, and that body conducted an investigation which disclosed, with convincing particularity and detail, the facts already summarized. That they are true in substance and effect is not seriously disputed in any quarter. This commission also, about the same time, held another investigation, and reported to the department of justice that the six largest meat-packing concerns, popularly known as the "beef trust," were in a combination with each other and with many great railway lines, whereby they secured large secret concessions in rates for the transportation of their products which enabled them to practically monopolize the fresh and cured meat industry of the United States.

Acting upon this information, which disclosed definite and provable facts, bills for injunctions were immediately filed against the principal railroads implicated, to restrain them from giving preference to any shipper in the rates or facilities of transportation. In March last there were instituted by the government, in the United States circuit court, eighteen or six suits in equity against offending railroad companies; and, simultaneously, eight additional suits were begun against other railroads at Kansas City. In each instance temporary injunctions were granted, which are still in force, restraining the defendant railroads from paying any rebates or granting any preferences whatever to any shipper, so that all persons should stand on an even footing in respect of transportation over the enjoined roads.

Suits Had Good Effect.

It was not practicable, of course, nor desirable, to bring injunction suits against all the railroads in the United States, but it was believed in those proceedings against six of the most influential lines, and having the interlocutory decree of two very eminent federal judges to the effect that the facts alleged in the bills entitled the government to the powerful remedy of injunction, that the other carriers would thereafter conform to the law and abstain from illegal practices. How salutary and wholesome the effect has been, ask any fair-minded railway manager, who is now enabled to adjust his business free from the stress of competitors with lawless methods, and any honest shipper upon the defendant roads. **It is believed that, with few exceptions, since the issuing of these injunctions, the open tariffs have been applied and uniform rates charged to large and small shippers alike. The small grain buyers in the west have resumed operations, the elevators that were closed are doing a profitable business, and the workmen are again employed.**

In a few cases the department has been informed that certain railway officials who were not enjoined have taken advantage of the restraint placed upon their competitors, and been led by cupidity to seek unlawful earnings by according secret rates to increase their business at the expense of those under injunction. Several of these officials have been indicted already, and more will be if evidence of their misconduct can be procured. And in this connection I take occasion to say that the efforts of the commission to stop rate-cutting and all similar offenses will be constantly aided by the department of justice and every official under its direction. This nefarious business is to be stopped if it is in the power of the administration to stop it.

Cotton Growers Protected.

Another direction in which kindred effort has been made to enforce the law and prevent the abuse of monopoly, deserves a word of comment. The cotton interests of the south, growers, buyers and shippers, complained of the hardships and injury suffered by them from the methods of the railroads in that section in handling and transporting the cotton output. These carriers by combined action denied the right of routing to the shippers—that is to say, the right of the shipper to prescribe over what route his goods should pass, and by agreement with each other determined the lines which should move this important product and the percentage of the shipments which each line should transport. In other words, there was a pooling arrangement between the railroads in respect of this traffic, in distinct violation of the federal statute.

As the result of information, secured with much difficulty, respecting this forbidden practice, a number of indictments were obtained against the offending roads and their principal traffic officers. At first the indicted carriers showed an intention to continue their unlawful combination, and steps were taken by the department to institute similar prosecutions against the same and other carriers for like conduct at other points in the cotton section. Since that time, however, the roads have receded from their position. They now accord to shippers the right to route their traffic and avow their purpose strictly to observe the law.

Went After the Beef Trust.

The remarkable advance in the price of meats, coupled with the disclosures elicited by the commission respecting secret rebates enjoyed by the great packing houses, and other information obtained by the department of justice, induced the latter to direct an investigation into the methods of the so-called "beef trust," as a result of which bills were filed under the Sherman anti-trust law and injunctions issued restraining each of the six defendant companies from combining, or agreeing upon the prices at which they would sell their products in states other than those where it is prepared for market, and likewise restraining them from combining and agreeing upon cartage charges for delivering their shipments at destination.

Under the rules of the federal courts, after the writs of injunction were issued, the defendants had until midsummer to answer or demur to the government's bill of complaint. They chose to demur to the bill, which raises the question whether, on the facts stated, and under the constitution and existing laws, they are amenable to the control of the federal government.

Northern Securities Recalled.

The Northern Pacific and Great Northern railroads, having their eastern termini at the head of Lake Superior, and extending westwardly via Minneapolis and St. Paul to the Pacific ocean, occasionally intersecting and again separating, and generally no farther distant from each other than 100 miles, and being in 1901 practically the only competitors in the transportation of traffic to and from most of the states traversed by them, combined together and purchased the capital stock of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad system. Thus those two trans-continental lines became the joint owners of another great system which was gradually pushing its rails northwesterly into the territory occupied by the purchasers, and westwardly to the Pacific ocean.

To effect this purchase, the Northern Pacific and Great Northern companies issued joint bonds for $200,000,000. Shortly after the purchase of the Burlington road the principal owners of the Northern Pacific and Great Northern roads caused to be organized, under the laws of New Jersey, the Northern Securities Company, with a nominal capital of $400,000,000, of which $30,000 was paid in. That company was organized to become the owner of the capital stock of the Northern Pacific and Great Northern railroad companies, and this was accomplished by an exchange of the stock of the New Jersey corporation for the stock of the two railroad companies at such price that, if the Securities Company got all of the stock of both roads, its entire $400,000,000 of capital would be absorbed in the exchange.

At the time of the purchase of the Burlington road the capital stock of the three railroad systems was about $396,000,000. That was the capital upon which the combined traffic carried by those roads might, after paying expenses of operation, reasonably be expected to provide dividends. By the bond issue to secure the Burlington and the inflation of the "securities" capital, that same traffic is now expected to provide dividends upon more than two hundred millions of stock in addition to the original $396,000,000.

Suit Was Soon Entered.

When the department came into possession of these facts a suit in equity was at once begun to restrain the operation of the proposed merger and to restore the independence of these transcontinental railroads as competing lines, which suit is now pending.

Here, then, are four phases of the attack on combinations in restraint of trade and commerce—the railroad injunction suits, the cotton pool cases, the "beef trust" cases, and the Northern Securities case. The first relates to the monopoly produced by secret and preferential rates for railroad transportation; the second to railroad traffic pooling; the third to a combination of independent corporations to fix and maintain extortionate prices for a necessity of life; the fourth a corporation organized to merge into itself the control of parallel and competing lines of railroad and eliminate competition in their rates of transportation.

There appears to be no doubt of the facts as set out in the bills filed in these various cases. The combinations proceeded against are in some respects different from those considered in cases that have been decided by the supreme court, and it is said by their organizers that they have availed themselves of the anti-trust law. The department of justice, being of opinion that they are each in violation of that law, found it to be its manifest duty to so advise the president, with the result which is known to all.

My whole purpose in what I have said is to challenge the proposition that we are hopelessly helpless under our system of government to deal with serious problems which confront us in respect to our greatest interests. Since the radical questions of human rights and human governments have been settled, the production, preservation and distribution of wealth receive the chief attention of civilized people.

Arbitrary Regulations Usually Unwise.

The extent to which legislative control over commercial activities should be exercised is, of course, a question for legislative wisdom. We have the experience of the other nations to guide us in determining how far the delicate and mysterious rules of trade can be interfered with by positive statutes without doing that which experience teaches us that the least interference consistent with the preservation of essential rights should exist. Arbitrary regulations that restrain free intercourse are usually found to be unwise. Primarily it is for the business men to decide whether it has the power, and whether and to what extent it will execute it—what character of restraints, whether all or those only which are unreasonable and injurious shall fall under the ban, whether legislation in the first instance should extend to all commerce or only to commerce in articles of vital importance to the people. **The time never was when the English-speaking people permitted the articles necessary for their existence to be monopolized or controlled, and all devices to that end found condemnation in the body of their laws. The great English judges pronounced that such manifestations of human avarice required no statute to declare their unlawfulness, that they were crimes against common law—that is, against common right.**

It is difficult to improve upon the great unwritten code known as the common law. Under its salutary guaranties and restraints the English-speaking people have attained their wealth and power. It condemns monopoly, and contracts in restraint of trade as well. The distinction, however, between restraints that are reasonable in their character and in the circumstances and those which are unreasonable, is recognized and has been followed in this country by the courts.

This distinction makes a rule that may be practically applied, and preserves the rational mean between unrestrained commerce and the absolute freedom of contract.

Small Concerns Must Be Considered.

A law regulating interstate commerce for its protection against restraint, so broad as to cover all persons whose business is conducted under agreements which are in any way or to any extent in restraint of trade, would include thousands of small concerns conducting industries in one state from marketing their products in others; but a law which only covers contracts and combinations in restraint of trade as defined by the common law would exclude all hurtful combinations and conspiracies. Congress can, if it sees fit, adopt the scheme of that law. In the enforcement of such law each case as it arose would be considered upon its own facts, and the rule of guidance would be laid down by the supreme court of the United States; that is, "public welfare is first considered, and if it be not involved and the restraint upon one party is not greater than protection to the other party requires, the contract may be sustained. The question is whether, under the particular circumstances of the case of reasonable or unreasonable. Nevertheless, in extending the law it might be deemed wise by congress now to import and impose this distinction clearly, for the following reasons among others: Because the hard and fast extreme rule may work injustice in various instances where a moderate restraint is either not harmful at all to the general interests, or only slightly so in comparison with the importance of the freedom and sacredness of many contracts which public policy does not unjustly condemn; because the question of reasonableness, as in the common law, should be for the courts—surely the safest arbiter and reliance in human disputes—and because, from the economic standpoint, freer play would thus be given, and perhaps "a way out" indicated in the conflict between the important principles of free competition and combination.

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We have no certain knowledge of the nature and effect of the natural laws which govern and are carrying forward evolution in economic and social phenomena as in all other branches of biology. But we may be confident that in some sort and with whatever perversions, public policies, constitutional charters of government and municipal laws roughly manifest these natural laws and reflect their main tendencies. Proper free play of forces might be maintained, by importing into the situation the idea of "reasonableness" and judicial determination, thereof, for the due control of unnecessarily destructive competition; and, for preventing the opposite danger, by devising a system of regulation which would strike the evils of combination at the heart and aid in the great work of restraining hurtful restraints and monopolies, especially as to the prime necessities of life.

The conditions of our commercial life are, as I have said, the result in part of an evolution of forces of world-wide operation, which have developed gradually and are not, perhaps, fully understood. Laws regulating and controlling their operation, before they ripen into a complete system of wise jurisprudence, will be of gradual growth.

Good Will Has a Value.

The case of a sale of a business and its good will is a good illustration. Here a restricted covenant upon the part of the vender not to engage in competition in a similar business is often the main consideration for the transaction. This covenant is, of course, in restraint of trade, and interferes with competition. But to make a contract such as this illegal is not only restrictive of the liberty of contract, but it is depriving one of his property without due process of law. Good will is property capable of being appraised, bought, and sold. In many cases it is the main ingredient of value. It represents all the struggle, industry, tact and judgment that makes success. In estimating the worth of a business it is not infrequently reckoned more valuable than the buildings and machinery that make up the physical plant.

Such a contract has been held reasonable and valid.

Now as to an unreasonable agreement let me quote an illustration from the pen of a justice of the supreme court:

"In Morris Run Coal Company vs. Barclay Coal Company (in the supreme court of Pennsylvania) the principal question was as to the validity of a contract made between five coal corporations of Pennsylvania, by which they divided between themselves two coal regions of which they had the control. The referee in the case found that those companies acquired under their arrangement the power to control the entire market for bituminous coal in the northern part of the state, and their combination was, therefore, a restraint upon trade and against public policy. In response to the suggestion that the real purpose of the combination was to lessen expenses, to advance the quality of coal, and to deliver it in the markets intended to be supplied in the best order to the consumer, the supreme court of Pennsylvania said:

This is denied by the defendants; but it seems to us it is immaterial whether these positions be sustained or not. Admitting their correctness, it does not follow that these advantages redeem the contract from the obnoxious effects so strikingly presented by the referee. The important fact is that these companies control this immense coal field; that it is the great source of supply of bituminous coal to the state of New York and large territory westward; that by this contract they control the price of coal in this extensive market, and make it bring sums it would not command if left to natural laws of trade; that it concerns an article of prime necessity for many uses, that its operation is general in this large region, and affects all who use coal as a fuel, and this is accomplished by a combination of all the companies engaged in this branch of business in the large region where they operate. The combination is wide in scope, general in its influence, and injurious in effect. These being its features, the contract is against public policy, illegal, and therefore void.

Much Depends on the Courts.

The question of reasonableness is thus one for the courts to determine, and it is manifest that this doctrine gives play to just considerations of the freedom and inviolability of contracts with proper judicial safeguards against unconscionable arrangements rightly void as contrary to public policy. The Sherman act is entitled: "An act to protect trade and commerce against unlawful restraints," etc., and the able dissenting opinion in one of the leading cases in the supreme court argues from this indication and other considerations that the restraints intended to be stricken off were only those unreasonable restraints as defined at common law. But the law was authoritatively decided to include all restraints, whether reasonable or unreasonable, in extending the law it might be deemed wise by congress now to import and impose this distinction clearly, for the following reasons among others: Because the hard and fast extreme rule may work injustice in various instances where a moderate restraint is either not harmful at all to the general interests, or only slightly so in comparison with the importance of the freedom and sacredness of many contracts which public policy does not unjustly condemn; because the question of reasonableness, as in the common law, should be for the courts—surely the safest arbiter and reliance in human disputes—and because, from the economic standpoint, freer play would thus be given, and perhaps "a way out" indicated in the conflict between the important principles of free competition and combination.

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TWO BADLY SHOCKED.

Ralph Dewalt and G. F. Johnson, His Rescuer, Terribly Burned By Electricity.

Ralph Dewalt, 14 years old, employed at Duncan's sanitary milk plant, Eighth street and Wood alley, Braddock, is in a critical condition at his home, No. 837 Wood alley, Braddock, from the shock of 500 volts of electricity, received in the ice house of the plant yesterday afternoon. G. F. Johnson, 22 years old, living in Rebecca street, North Braddock, another employe, in attempting to rescue the boy, was severely shocked.

Young Dewalt went into the ice house, which was in total darkness, and groped for the electric light with wet hands. The insulation of the wire was worn off above the lamp where he grasped it. Johnson heard the boy's screams and hurried from another department to his rescue. When Johnson reached him flame was playing about Dewalt's right arm. Johnson seized a shovel and attempted to release the boy's hand from the wire by striking it with the handle, but the boy dragged the wire from a fastening on the wall and fell to the floor. Johnson finally cut the wire with the sharp edge of the shovel and was badly shocked several times while trying to release Dewalt. Johnston's right hand was badly burned.

Dewalt was unconscious for a long time. His feet and arm were burned.

Received the Rev. A. H. Ginter.

A special meeting of the Allegheny classis of the Pittsburgh synod of the Reformed church, was held yesterday morning in Grace church, to receive the Rev. A. H. Ginter, from Clairsville, Pa., who has received a call to the Reformed church at Chicora.

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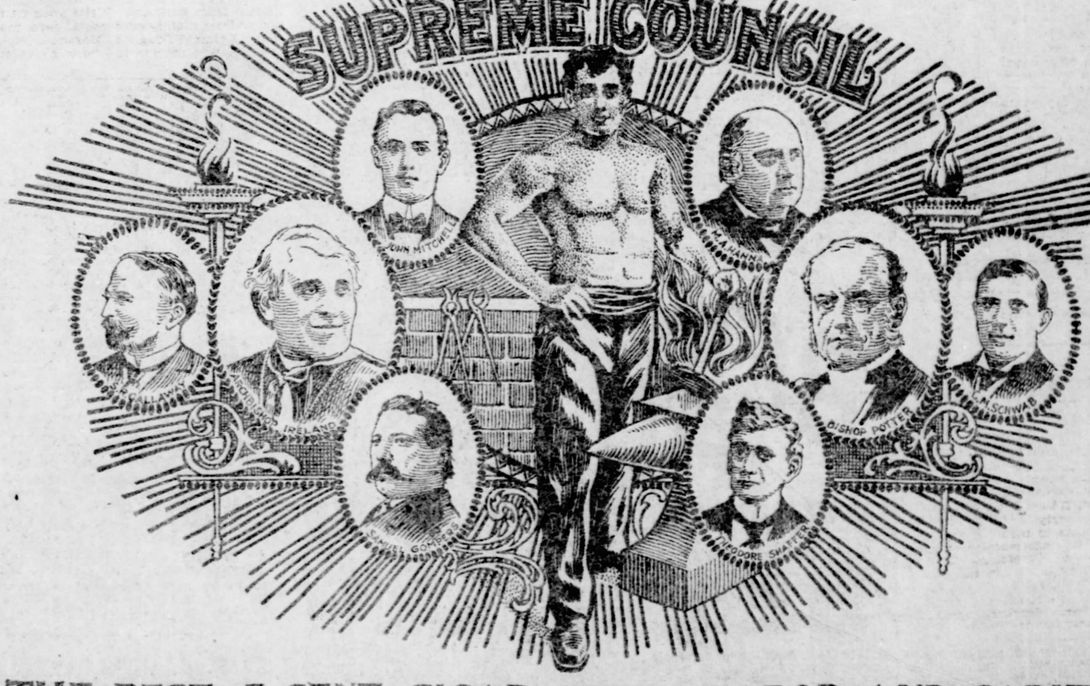

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LARKIN LOSES IN BOTH CASES

Court Orders Payment on Reservoir and to Elmer E. Siebert.

POWER OF CONTROLLER

Judge Shafer Says It Is Not His Duty to Stop Warrants Passed Upon by the Various Department Heads.

Judge Shafer yesterday handed down two opinions, finding against Controller John B. Larkin in the mandamus proceedings of the Mercantile Trust Company and Elmer E. Siebert. The action of the trust company is to compel the controller to issue a warrant for $11,140 12 for work done on the Highland reservoir; the other was to compel him to sign a warrant for the salary of Siebert as superintendent of Highland park. The court, after setting forth the duties of the controller, directs that a peremptory mandamus issue, compelling him to sign the warrants.

In the reservoir case the court devoted considerable space to a review of the case from the time the contract for the reservoir was made until it was assumed by the trust company, as surety of the bond for the contractor. Special stress is laid upon the wording of the contract that in case a dispute should arise the matter should be referred to the director of the department of public works, whose decision shall be final; with the consideration that the city could deduct $100 a day if the work was not completed by November 1, 1898.

Controller's Power Limited.

The court also refers to the controller's attitude in refusing to sign the warrant, and then says the substantial question is whether or not the city is liable to the relator for the sum for which a warrant is demanded, and to the ascertainment of that fact alone the power of the controller to inquire and investigate is confined. The court then says:

"The city is just as much bound by the decision of the arbitrator as the contractor would be. If there were no provision in the contract between the city and the contractor, * * * it would be doubtful whether the controller would have any right to withhold his signature to the warrant for the reason given."

The court refers to an opinion of the supreme court in speaking of the duties of the controller of Philadelphia, in which it is said he is not entrusted with the duty of making or even supervising the contracts of other departments, and that "he is to see that the various departments do not exceed their appropriations or apply them to purposes without their proper scope."

Public Works Responsible.

As to the present contract, the court says it was to have been supervised by the director of public works, and no one else, and that in an action against the city the court cannot see that anything said by the controller would constitute a defense on the part of the city. In conclusion the court says:

"If therefore appears the money is legally due and the controller has no discretion to refuse to pay it. The demurrer is therefore sustained, and it is ordered that judgment be entered for the plaintiff without costs."

In the Siebert case Judge Shafer said in part: "An inspection of the ordinance fixing salaries of officers and employes of the department of public works, and authorizing their employment, shows that there was no authority for the appointment of an assistant superintendent of Highland park, and what authority any of the city officers, including the controller, had for paying William Forsythe for services as assistant superintendent does not appear, and is perhaps not material in this case.

Can't Scrutinize Employes.

"In fact, however, the controller without warrant of law, approved the claim of William Forsythe as assistant superintendent. * * * It is too plain for argument, however, that the controller has no power to supervise the employment of officials by the various departments of the city, which would be in effect to substitute his judgment for that of the heads of the various departments, who are responsible for the performance of the duties assigned them, and every employe of the city and all of the teachers in the high schools and public schools of the city would have to pass an examination by the controller before they could be paid for services already rendered, if such were the rule.

"The demurrer is therefore sustained, and it is ordered that judgment be entered for the plaintiff without costs."

Larkin Will Appeal.

Judge Shafer's grant of a peremptory mandamus on Controller Larkin was received with mixed feelings in city hall. Dr. McCandless, the director of the department of public works, when asked what he thought of the decision, said: "It is just what I expected."

Controller Larkin took the decision coolly. He said: "I intend to appeal in one case, that of the Mercantile Trust Company, and I may appeal in the Siebert case, but of course I shall obey the final judgment of the courts, but I intend to go on as I have been doing, that is, scrutinize all bills offered and, if I think that the city should refuse to pay them, decline to countersign warrants."

"You don't consider yourself a mere bookkeeper in the city's employ, then?"

"I am not built that way."

While the amount involved in the Siebert case is $600, three months' salary of the superintendent of Highland park, the fact is that Siebert has received no wages for six months, and if the controller, on appeal, is defeated Seibert will get six months' wages, $1,200, and as much more as may be due him during the period taken up by the appeal.

"In case I should appeal both cases no hardship will be inflicted upon either of the petitioners," said Mr. Larkin. "The Mercantile Trust Company certainly does not need the money badly, and Mr. Siebert is rich."

The controller absolutely refused to discuss the cases.

PROMOTORS IN TROUBLE.

Partner in Keystone Promotion Company Has Two Others Arrested.

John P. Cavanaugh and B. T. Williams, members of the Keystone Promotion Company of No. 426 Fourth avenue, were arrested yesterday. Cavanugh is charged with false pretense, fraudulently converting partnership property and conspiracy to defraud. Williams is included in the latter charge. The informations were made before Alderman Groetzinger by J. K. Lansler, a former partner in the concern.

Cavanaugh was committed to jail in default of $1,500 bail. Williams secured $500 bail for a hearing on Friday.

When children are fretful without apparent cause—always ailing, puny, delicate, and you "cannot make out what is the matter," Dr. D. Jayne's Tonic Vermifuge will generally bring them round aright.

Hotel Victoria lunch can't be beaten for 50c. A la carte meals at any time.

IMPROVEMENTS ON B. & O'S. SUBSIDIARY LINES TO BE DECIDED ON NEXT MONDAY

Directors of several of the subsidiary lines of the Baltimore & Ohio system will meet in this city next Monday to take formal action on plans for a number of improvements. Among the roads to be represented will be the Pittsburgh & Western, the Pittsburgh Junction, the Fairmont & Morgantown, Pittsburgh & Connellsville, and several other smaller companies.

Plans involving the expenditure of several million dollars will be brought up for approval. Action is also required on rights of way at certain points along the Pittsburgh & Western where the company has recently acquired property for the extension of the track facilities. The project of particular note to be considered by the directors is the reconstruction of the old Pittsburgh & Western between this city and Akron, O. Although partial work has been done on this improvement, the matter is yet to be presented to the board of directors and stockholders of the company.

Vacancies on several of the boards, caused by the expiration of terms of election, will be filled. It is probable that the new directors will be Baltimore & Ohio men, as the company is desirous of having stronger representation. C. W. Woolford, secretary of the Baltimore & Ohio, with headquarters at Baltimore, will be present at the meeting.

ERIE HEADED THIS WAY.

That Is the Tenor of the Latest Railroad Rumor Afloat in Pittsburgh.

The latest rumor in railroad circles is that another great trunk line proposes to enter Pittsburgh. The Erie is said to be the road. It is reported that surveys have been completed as far east as Carnegie, this county, that agents are now in this city looking for a desirable location to build a terminal station.

At present the Erie's nearest approach to Pittsburgh is Youngstown, O., where it is known as the New York, Pennsylvania & Ohio, or "Nypano." It already enjoys a share of the enormous Pittsburgh traffic through an interchange of business with the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie at Youngstown. It is said to be the intention of the Erie to build an extension from Lisbon, O., through the Ohio valley, following an almost direct course to Carnegie.

It is understood that under the terms of the tri-partite agreement, the Erie cannot enter Pittsburgh and maintain relations with the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie. The statement is now made that the project of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie to build a line from Youngstown to Cleveland will be abandoned if the Erie's present project is carried through.

Property Owners Must Assist.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company, which recently bought the Pennsylvania Midland road and reorganized it under the name of the Bedford & Hollidaysburg railroad, will complete the line at an early date providing property owners are interested sufficiently to donate right of way and station grounds free of cost. The entire road has been substantially graded, the abutments to the bridges erected, and more than 12 miles of it has been laid in heavy steel rails. It is the intention to operate the line as an extension of the Hollidaysburg branch.

Joint Ticket Agency at Youngstown.

A joint ticket agency was opened yesterday by the Baltimore & Ohio and the Pennsylvania railroad at Youngstown, O. This is believed to be the first step toward the completion of a union depot for the two roads in that city, a project which was conceived some time ago and made possible by the close alliance of the two interests. Assistant General Passenger Agent E. D. Smith of the Baltimore & Ohio went to Youngstown yesterday to arrange for the opening of the depot. R. C. McClain, who has been city passenger agent for the Pennsylvania at Youngstown, will assume charge of the joint agency.

ROCK ISLAND APPOINTMENTS.

Local Changes Made in Personnel of the Passenger Men.

Phil A. Auer has been made district passenger agent of the Rock Island in this city. He succeeds Perry Griffin, recently promoted to be district passenger agent, with headquarters at Philadelphia. Mr. Auer comes to Pittsburgh from New York, where he has served as traveling passenger agent for the Rock Island. He will assume active charge of the Pittsburgh office on Monday.

Another change announced yesterday in the local office of the Rock Island is the appointment of David W. Penney as city passenger agent, becoming effective today. Mr. Penney has been in the local office as assistant to Mr. Griffin.

NEW B. & O. OFFICE.

F. D. Casanave, General Superintendent of Motor Power, Is to Have Relief.

Circulars issued from the executive offices of the Baltimore & Ohio yesterday announce the creation of another office for that system. It is known as assistant general superintendent of motive power, and is designed to relieve the duties of F. D. Casanave, general superintendent of motive power. J. E. Muhlfield, mechanical superintendent of the International railroad, New Brunswick, has been appointed to the office. Mr. Muhlfield was at one time associated with the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

It is the intention to relieve Mr. Casanave so that he may be able to devote his entire time to the enlargement of the motive power and mechanical department.

New City Ticket Agent.

Charles Crone, for a number of years ticket agent at the Fort Wayne depot in Allegheny, was yesterday appointed assistant city ticket agent of the Pennsylvania system in this city. He succeeds W. A. Caddick, who resigned the position on October 1. Mr. Crone will commence his duties in the city ticket office at Fifth avenue and Smithfield street, today.

Railroad Notes.

G. E. Hustis, general western agent of the New York, New Haven & Hartford at Chicago, was in Pittsburgh yesterday.

John M. Osborn, agent for the Wabash & Lackawanna Dispatch, at Detroit, is a visitor in the city.

Dr. J. Ellis Glasgow of Altoona has been appointed medical examiner for the Pennsylvania relief department, with headquarters at Creason.

A meeting of the staff officers of the Pittsburgh division of the Panhandle was held yesterday, in the office of Supt. R. E. McCarty. Suggestions on schedule changes were submitted.

Supt. S. D. Long of the Buffalo & Allegheny Valley, at a conference on Monday, reached an agreement with the New Kensington council for the erection of a handsome new passenger station at that point.

Supt. H. P. Hutchinson of the Pittsburgh division, Baltimore & Ohio, announced yesterday the reopening of the passenger depot at Coulter, Pa. The building has been closed for repairs for the past six weeks.

E. N. Ensign, general baggage agent of the Erie railroad, with headquarters at Cleveland, was in the city yesterday conferring with officials of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie.

GRANT BOULEVARD A COSTLY AFFAIR

Original Estimate of $500,000 More Than Doubled and All Work Not Yet Done.

The final report of the board of viewers on the construction of the Grant boulevard was made yesterday and delivered to Joseph Woods, superintendent of the bureau of awards. It closes up the whole matter, definitely, unless further appeals are made by property owners or the city. The report made yesterday was on the cost of grading, paving and curbing, which the viewers found to be $780,008 17, of which but $26,620 was assessed against the property owners, while $762,988 17 is assessed against the city.

It is probable that some of the property holders will file exceptions to the report, for which they have five days' time, after which the report will be submitted to court for final approval. There are about 400 property holders affected in the matter, whose benefits go to make up the award of $26,626. The largest of these is the Pennsylvania railroad, whose assessment is $2,400; the others range from about $100 down to very small sums.

About three-quarters of a million dollars must be paid by the city for the grading, paving and curbing alone. In addition, when viewers on the opening of the thoroughfare made their report the city was assessed $225,343 85, while the property holders were assessed but $7,901 75. The matter of the cost of the sewers built has not yet been presented and will add several thousand dollars more to the assessment against the city; but already the estimated cost of the boulevard is $1,022,853 77 and the work is not yet done. Of this sum the city is taxed $988,332 02 for the two items of opening and grading, paving and curbing.

When the boulevard was first contemplated it was estimated it would cost $500,000, and in the bond issue of 1895 that sum was set apart for it. In the bond issue of 1900 no specified sum was set aside for the completion of the work, but when councils appropriated the whole issue after the sale by ordinance, $300,000 was appropriated out of the $7,000,000 issue for the completion of the work. Of this total of $300,000 there is a balance in the treasury, credited to the fund, of $400,000. As the cost will exceed $1,600,000 and but $800,000 is available now to pay it, councils will have to appropriate more than $200,000 next year to cover the deficit.

MATRIMONIAL TRANSACTION.

An Italian Wants Either His Bride or the Purchase Money.

James Bargera, an Italian, living in Junction hollow, was committed to jail in default of $1,000 bail yesterday by Magistrate Armstrong. Bargera is accused of false pretenses. The prosecuter is Gaspar Scalise.

It is alleged that Bargera agreed to procure a wife for Scalise for $125. He introduced Santa Bonsitte to Scalise and the two were married. Scalise promptly paid the purchase money and the next day Bargera is said to have run away with Scalise's bride. Now Scalise wants either his wife or his money.

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FALL COAL RUNS MAY BREAK RECORD

The Earliness of Shipping Season Gives Coal Companies Big Advantage.

The barge stage of water in the Ohio river only lasted 36 hours. The river fell two feet yesterday. While the shipping stage lasted the towboats were kept busy getting out their tows. While there was a rush to get away, the shipment was devoid of any accidents of consequence, a remarkable condition considering that previous to the run of coal there had been no navigation in the Ohio river for 10 weeks.

In addition to the coal sent out Monday, the Hornet No. 2, with 17 barges, was the only other boat dispatched yesterday and the coal run is over for the present, about 7,000,000 bushels having been shipped. Light showers fell yesterday afternoon and some rivermen believe there will be a coalboat stage of water in the Ohio within a few days. However, no heavy rains have fallen at the headwaters of the Monongahela and Allegheny rivers.

The boats that were tied up down the river, not being able to come into port on account of low water, are about due with empties, which will give the miners additional work and one of the largest fall shipments of coal ever made to the south should take place before the holidays. It not often happens that October produces a coal shipping stage and the operators are really a month ahead of the usual time for shipments.

THE RIVERS.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, Oct. 14.—River 8.1 and falling. Packets in and out on time. Capt. J. F. Ellison, superintendent of the Cincinnati and Pittsburgh Packet Company, left tonight for Pittsburgh to attend the annual meeting of the company. Capt. Ed. Howard, who recently purchased the Queen City marine ways, will take charge of the plant tomorrow. His son Clyde, who has charge of the Madison ways of the company, will have charge of the local business.

LOUISVILLE—River on a stand; canal, 4.9; falls, 2.7; foot of locks, 7.4. Business good. Packets in and out on time. The L. H. Durhman and tow passed down this evening. The City of Louisville resumes her trips Friday.

HUNTINGTON—River 8 feet 4 inches and rising. Up with empties, Robert P. Gilham, 4:30 p. m.; Convoy, 8 p. m.

WHEELING—River 10 feet and falling. The Liberty, unable to make ends meet in the Wheeling and Marietta trade, laid up here today. Down with coal, Gleaner and P. M. Pfiel, 7 a. m.; Joseph Walton, 8 a. m.; Josh Cook and Nellie Walton, 9:0 a. m.; Fred Wilson, Tom Rees No. 2, Jim Brown and Mariner, noon; John A. Wood, J. C. Risher, Iron Age and James Moren, 11 a. m.; G. W. Thomas and John Moren, 1 p. m.; Jack Frost and Samuel Clarke, 2 p. m.; Clifton, Charles Brown and Voyager, 3 p. m.; Harvester and Ironsides, 4 p. m.; Pacific No. 2, 5 p. m. Up light, P. M. Pfiel, 9 a. m.; Jim Brown, 3 p. m.

STEUBENVILLE—River 9 feet and falling. The following boats of the coal fleet passed the Steubenville bridge in safety: Down, Josh Cook, 6:30 a. m.; Nellie Walton, 6:30 a. m.; J. C. Risher, 6:00 a. m.; John A. Wood and Iron Age, 8 a. m.; Joseph Moffit and Fred Wilson, 10:30 a. m.; Mariner, Tom Rees and G. W. Thomas, 8 a. m.; John Moren, 8:15 a. m.; Sam Clarke and Jack Frost, 10 a. m.; Voyager and Clifton, 11 a. m.; Charles Brown, 11:30 a. m.; Harvester and Ironsides, 12:30 p. m.; Pacific No. 2, 1 p. m.; Sam Brown, 2 p. m.; Dave Wood, 2:30 p. m.; Ed Roberts, 3:30 p. m. Up, Tom Lysle, Joseph Moffit and Fred Wilson; Defender, 11:30 a. m.; Tom Dodsworth, noon.

PARKERSBURG—River 9 feet and rising. The Valley Belle left for Middleport at noon.

OIL CITY—River 1 foot 6 inches and rising.

WARREN—River 1 foot 2 inches.

GALLIPOLIS—River 8 feet and rising.

GREENSBORO—River 8.9 feet and falling. Columbia and Gertrude down Wednesday; Elizabeth and Woodward up.

POINT PLEASANT—River 5 feet 9 inches and rising. Up, Greenwood.

MORGANTOWN—River 8 feet 10 inches and falling.

At 9 o'clock last evening the marks at Davis Island dam indicated a stage of 6.8 and the river was falling.

Arrivals.

Gertrude, Ragon, Morgantown.

Departures.

Gertrude, Morgantown, W. Va.

Packets Leaving Today.

Elizabeth, Morgantown, 3 p. m.

News of the Rivers.

The P. M. Pfeil, which assisted the Gleaner to Wheeling, arrived last night.

The towboat Tornado arrived in port yesterday afternoon, bringing a tow of empties.

The Lotus Sims is causing the Lee line considerable trouble in the Memphis and St. Louis trade.

The J. B. Finley, Joseph B. Williams, Alice Brown and Rose left Paducah for Louisville with empties.

Frederick A. East, chief clerk at the Davis Island dam, has gone to New York on a 10-day leave of absence to spend his vacation.

Capt. Edward Howard will complete the new United States life-saving station at Louisville in a few days. It is a model of its kind.

The towboat W. H. Flin' did not depart yesterday with her tow of light boats. The trip was given up on account of the falling river.

The towboat Gleaner, owned by C. Jutte & Co., was at Sellaire yesterday morning at 7:30 o'clock and the G. W. Thomas passed there at 1 p. m.

Capt. G. Wash Thompson, a former New Orleans steamboatman and now a resident of Atlanta, Ga., has been spending a few days with Pittsburgh friends.

The towboat George Matheson left Cincinnati with two coal diggers and three barges. She is going to the rescue of the Florence Marmet, which is aground with her tow of 12 barges at Twin Creek, below Buena Vista.

Capt. Phillips in reporting the result of the collision between his boat, the Wilmot, and the Mayflower says that his lights went out on account of the belt on the fly wheel jumping off, stopping the dynamo in the engine room.

Repairs to Lock No. 9 on the Monongahela river have been stopped on account of the rise out of that stream. The lock was closed for several days, but is again open to traffic, and it will not be necessary to again close it this season.

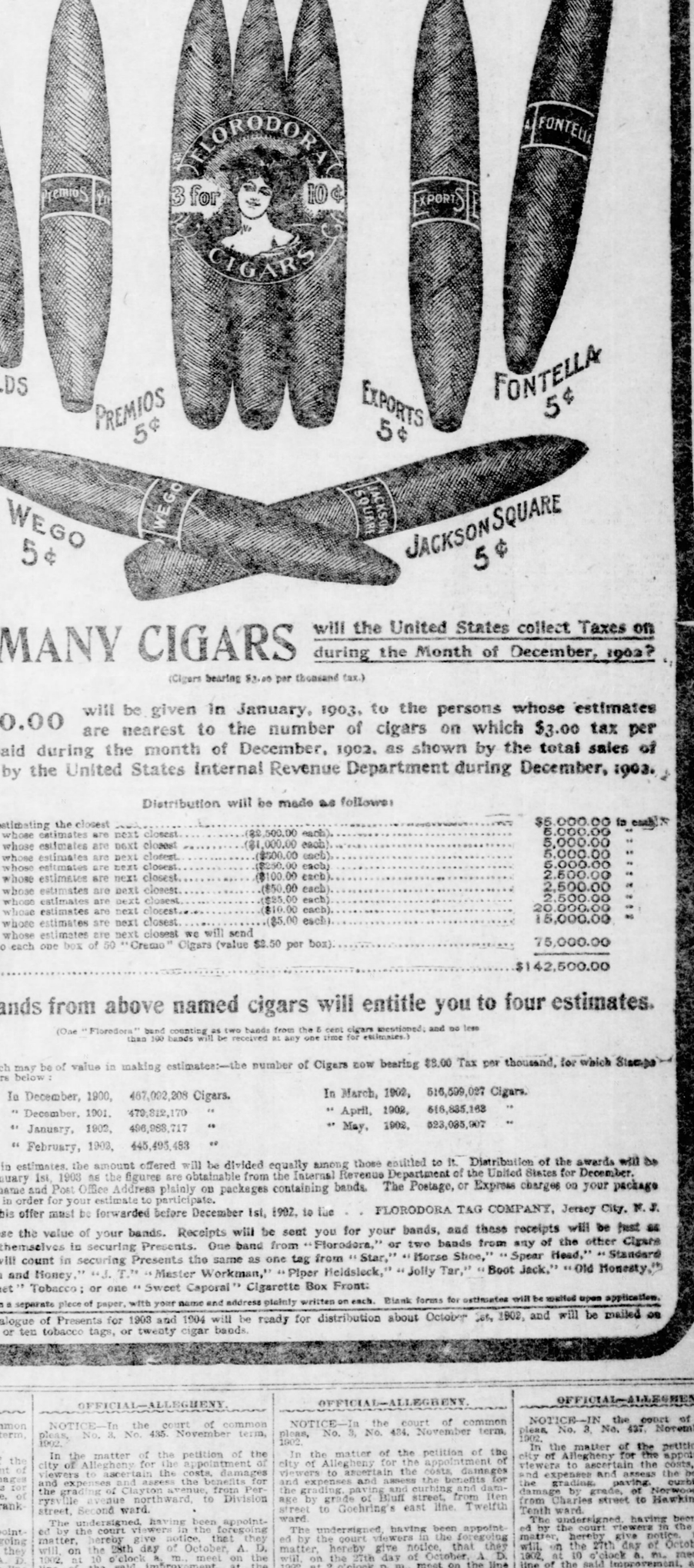
The Pittsburgh and Cincinnati packets will not be ordered out for the present as Capt. James A. Henderson is of the opinion that the possibilities for a continuance of water to run his boats the remainder of the month is rather remote.

The Clyde Coal Company officers are very much disappointed because the Lookout and Eleanor did not depart for the south with coal tows. The boats were delayed at Lock No. 3 with their tows, on account of being unable to get over the sills.

Collins, Darrah & Co., the barge builders, have 12 coalboats and 14 new barges on the way down the Allegheny river. The craft were built on Tionesta creek and as there was little rain along that stream, it was necessary to "splash" the craft out in order to get them into the Allegheny river.

John Norwood Rogers, who was married yesterday in Philadelphia to Miss Dora Browning, left there for Boston to spend his honeymoon. He took an afternoon train for New York and to prevent his baggage being "slathered" with placards, had his trunks sent ahead a day before the wedding.

The towboat Harvester, which left late Monday afternoon for Cincinnati, had nothing but coalboats in her tow. One of the boats drew 8 feet and she took it through the low places with a stage of 9.2 feet at the Davis island dam and falling. Capt. D. A. Woodward is in command of the boat and Capt. Harvey Robb is one of her pilots. Rivermen say that the Harvester's pilots did some good work to get through the upper end of the river safely.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" February, 1902, 445,495,483 "
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You do not lose the value of your bands. Receipts will be sent you for your bands, and these receipts will be just as good as the bands themselves in securing Presents. One band from "Florodora," or two bands from any of the other Cigars mentioned above, will count in securing Presents the same as one tag from "Star," "Horse Shoe," "Spear Head," "Standard Navy," "Old Peach and Honey," "J. T." "Master Workman," "Piper Heidsleck," "Jolly Tar," "Boot Jack," "Old Honesty," "Razor," or "Planet" Tobacco; or one "Sweet Caporal" Cigarette Box Front:
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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

NOTICE—In the court of common pleas, No. 3, No. 436, November term, 1902.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses and assess the benefits for the grading, and damage by grade, of George Alley, from Rush street to Franklin street, Sixth ward.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the court viewers in the foregoing matter, hereby give notice, that they will, on the 28th day of October, A. D. 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m., meet on the line of the said improvement, at the corner of George alley and Rush street, proceeding thence over the line of said improvement, viewing the same, and the premises affected thereby, and will hear all parties interested therein and their witnesses.

S. A. PURVIS,
F. E. PHILLIPS,
S. T. M'CLELLAND,
Viewers.

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

NOTICE—In the court of common pleas, No. 3, No. 435, November term, 1902.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses and assess the benefits for the grading of Clayton avenue, from Perrysville avenue northward, to Division street, Second ward.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the court viewers in the foregoing matter, hereby give notice, that they will, on the 28th day of October, A. D. 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m., meet on the line of the said improvement, at the corner of Clayton avenue and Perrysville avenue, proceeding thence over the line of said improvement, viewing the same, and the premises affected thereby, and will hear all parties interested therein and their witnesses.

S. A. PURVIS,
F. E. PHILLIPS,
S. T. M'CLELLAND,
Viewers.

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

NOTICE—In the court of common pleas, No. 3, No. 434, November term, 1902.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses and assess the benefits for the grading, paving and curbing, and damage by grade, of Bluff street, from Hen street to Goehring's east line, Twelfth ward.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the court viewers in the foregoing matter, hereby give notice, that they will, on the 27th day of October, A. D. 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m., meet on the line of the said improvement, at the corner of Bluff street and Iten street, proceeding thence over the line of said improvement, viewing the same, and the premises affected thereby, and will hear all parties interested therein and their witnesses.

S. A. PURVIS,
F. E. PHILLIPS,
S. T. M'CLELLAND,
Viewers.

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

NOTICE—IN the court of common pleas, No. 3, No. 437, November term, 1902.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses and assess the benefits for the grading, paving, curbing, and damage by grade, of Norwood avenue, from Charles street to Hawkins avenue, Tenth ward.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the court viewers in the foregoing matter, hereby give notice, that they will, on the 27th day of October, A. D. 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m., meet on the line of the said improvement, at the corner of Norwood avenue and Charles street, proceeding thence over the line of said improvement, viewing the same, and the premises affected thereby, and will hear all parties interested therein and their witnesses.

S. A. PURVIS,
F. E. PHILLIPS,
S. T. M'CLELLAND,
Viewers.

WASHINGTON COUNTY IN MOURNING OVER THE TEAM'S DEFEAT

LAFAYETTE TEAM DEFEATED W. & J.

All Washington Is Mourning Loss of the Great Contest.

GUARDS BACK PLAY WON

Eastern Eleven Played to a Standstill in First Half, but Scored Two Touchdowns in the Second.

By GEORGE A. CAMPSEY, Staff Correspondent.

Washington, Pa., Oct. 14.—There is gloom and sorrowing in Washington tonight. The bands are playing funeral dirges instead of such lively airs as "A Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight," and "Hail to the Chief." The large flag on the new million-dollar court house is at half-mast, and many residents of the county capital have taken down their centennial decorations.

Very few people are on the streets. The gay festivities have been dampened and people speak to each other in low whispers. There is one subject that is a painful one for Washingtonians to discuss tonight. It is the football game at College park this afternoon when the sturdy eleven from Lafayette college, at Easton, Pa., defeated the Washington and Jefferson stars by a score of 12 to 0 in one of the most hotly contested games ever seen on a local gridiron.

Blow Was a Sad One.

The blow came right in the midst of the celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of the founding of Washington and Jefferson college too, and this is what makes it all the harder to bear. The wearers of the red and black eleven look wise when football is brought up for discussion tonight, and dig from their libraries histories of the famous elevens that have represented W. and J. on the gridiron in the past and point with pride to former teams' records.

Washington and Jefferson was outclassed. The Easton eleven was the superior in almost every part of the game. The generalship of a famous Harvard coach proved to be of no avail and the little football squad from the eastern part of the state are celebrating a great victory tonight in the enemy's country.

The crowd of 3,000 began to gather before 2 o'clock, although the game was not called until near two hours later. Representatives of Washington's most exclusive sets were there. Members of the Alumni from all over the country watched their pride lose. Many Pittsburghers came but the happiest bunch of people on the ground was the handful of rooters who wore the maroon and white of the victorious eleven.

Wash-Jeff's Appearance.

Capts. Hayes and Trout soon advanced to the center of the field and as Umpire Jackson tossed the coin high in the air the Lafayette leader successfully called its turn and chose to defend the west goal. At 3:45 o'clock Capt. Hayes of Washington and Jefferson, booted the oval to Wack, who fumbled and Sutter fell on it on W. and J.'s 25-yard line.

The whole Lafayette team seemed to be suffering from stage fright and had their opponents taken advantage of the occasion on the spur of the moment there might have been a different score at the end of the game. The Easton team could do nothing with W. and J. the first half. The ball was in the local team's possession in Lafayette territory for the whole half.

Then the red and black eleven introduced their tackle back play. Heimburger, Burns and Hayes made splendid gains and it looked for a while as though there was nothing to the contest but Wash-Jeff. The sturdy Washington collegians carried the oval to the Lafayette team's 7-yard, where it was lost on downs and all hope of W. and J. scoring was lost.

Where They Lost Heart.

Then the red and black eleven seemed to lose heart. Hall and Reichter skirted their opponents' ends for a gain of 35 yards. Again the inevitable fumbling of Lafayette came into prominence and Wash-Jeff got the ball. Because the center had failed to turn the leather lengthwise on a down the ball went to the Easton eleven on downs.

Lafayette got the first penalty, 10 yards, for offside play, and Ernst sailed around W. and J.'s left end for 20 yards. Then Heimberger plunged through the line and tackled Ernst for a loss of three yards. It was one of the prettiest plays ever witnessed on the local gridiron, and the crowd simply went wild with delight. Time was called with the ball on W. and J.'s 40-yard line in Lafayette's possession.

Washington and Jefferson had gone sadly back while Lafayette was getting stronger every minute of play. A lack of team work on the part of W. and J. was plainly visible. The members of the team played too high. They tackled like high school boys and failed to charge the opposing line. There was plainly too much individual work. No interference was at hand. No end runs were being tried and Lafayette on almost every play was boxing W. and J.'s ends and tackling so the backs could not get to the man with the ball. To add to the stress on the Washington team, Capt. Hayes was compelled to leave the game after the first half, and Gibson took his place at tackle.

Lafayette's Scores Made.

Trout kicked off to Burns on Wash.-Jeff.'s 15-yard line. Welty lost on a trick play and Burns was compelled to punt. Lafayette then got the leather and started their famous guards back play. It worked to perfection and the Washington eleven was unable to stop it. Ernst and Trout made awful holes in W. and J.'s line, and with the ball one foot from the goal line Trout carried it safely over and kicked an easy goal. Score—Lafayette, 6; Washington and Jefferson, 0.

The red and black eleven fairly quit when the score was recorded. They played a listless game from that time until the end of the contest. The onslaught of the guards back could not be stopped and Hall, Reichter, Trout and Ernst ploughed through the line and scored another touchdown in less than 15 minutes actual play. Ernst took the ball over and Trout kicked the goal. Score—Lafayette, 12; Washington and Jefferson, 0. Time was called with the ball on Wash-Jeff.'s 40-yard line in the visitors' possession. The score and lineup:

Lafayette—12.		Wash-Jeff.—0.
Kinter	L. E.	Sutter
Launk	L. T.	Heimberger
Trout (captain)	L. G.	McCleery
Faulkner	Center	Loucks
Ernst	R. G.	Murphy
Simpson	R. T.	(captain) Hayes
Brown	R. E.	Sweet
Sulzer	Q. B.	McDonough
Richter	L. H.	Sherrard
Hall	R. H.	Welty
Wack	F. B.	Burns

Touchdowns—Trout, Ernst. Goals—Trout 2. Substitutions—Gibson for Hayes, Sconnell for Wack, Prowitt for Burns, McFarland for Sherrard. Referee—Arthur Poe, Princeton. Umpire—Dr. M. Roy Jackson, U. of P. Timekeeper—John F. Comers, W. and J.; E. G. Smith, Lafayette. Linesmen—Karl L. W. Care, W. and J.; W. A. Maxwell, Jr., Lafayette. Time—20 and 25 minute halves.

HIGH SCHOOL'S VICTORY.

Defeated East Liberty Academy Team by One Touchdown in Bitter Contest.

Out at Friendship park yesterday afternoon the Pittsburgh High school and East Liberty academy elevens met in their annual contest and after two 20-minute halves, which were filled with hard struggling and excitement, the High school team scored the victory—5 to 0.

The game was largely attended by the school boys and girls, who rooted as only they know how. The High school eleven was weakened somewhat by the loss of two players who are suffering from injuries received in practice. Still they had fairly good substitutes to fill their places.

The only score of the game was made by High school early in the first half when the ball was carried down the field by a series of line bucks and Harrison took it over after a run around East Liberty's left end. The punt out for a goal try was fumbled. After scoring so early in the game the High school people thought they had a walkover, but were fooled, as East Liberty braced and held them level for the rest of the game. The score and line-up:

P. H. S.—5.		E. L. A.—0.
Sphuler	L. T.	Lilly
Lafferty	L. G.	Toogly
Orr	C.	McVoy
Campbell	Center	Edwards
Palmer	R. G.	Horn
Lauderbaugh	R. T.	Bryan
Harrison	R. E.	Taylor
Baur	F. B.	Askin
Zelch	L. H.	Russell
Patterson	R. H.	Booth
Dolbold	F. B.	Zahniser

Corcoran Signs With Reds.

A telegram from Cincinnati announces that Shortstop Tommy Corcoran has turned down an American league offer and signed with Cincinnati for next season, thus completing the Reds' roster.

Among the Amateurs.

The players of the Cadnis A. C. team will report at corner of Euclid and Baum avenues this evening.

The Pittsburgh College III. team defeated the Pastime second team in an easy game, the score being 17 to 5.

Lowell A. C. will play Ingram Saturday at Ingram. The Lowells would like to hear from some good town team for Thanksgiving. Address W. A. Lauer, 826 Lincoln avenue, Pittsburgh.

All players of the Glenwood A. C. are requested to report for practice on Thursday evening. All good 90 or 100-pound teams desiring games address J. C. Brown, 232 Fifth avenue, city.

The Sterling A. C. would like to hear from some good 90 or 95-pound team for this Saturday. Avalon, Tigers, Fillmores, Artz A. C., or any other team having grounds. Call up John Getty, 108 Brady.

The Crescent Juniors of Wilkinsburg will play the Fairpace A. C. and a good game is expected by both teams. Any 45 to 50-pound teams desiring games address J. Hunton, 912 South street, Wilkinsburg.

The Quakers would like to arrange games with the Highland A. C., Carnegie High school, or Sewickley High school. All 100-pound teams desiring games address H. Smith, 352 Carnegie building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

The crack P. J. Boyles of the South Side will play the Mt. Washington Tigers on Stoltz grounds Saturday, October 18. Anyone wishing games with the Boyles, an 80 to 90-pound team, address William Gaffney, 2717 Carey alley, South Side, Pittsburgh.

The McKees Rocks High school team has a few open dates for next month and wishes to hear from all 90 to 100 pound teams in Western Pennsylvania. McKeesport High school and Freedom High school preferred. Address all challenges to F. D. Jackson, McKees Rocks, Pa.

The West End A. C. of Carnegie will please take notice that the game with Orange A. C. for October 18 is all right. Take Hamilton avenue car at Fifth and Market and get off at Homewood avenue. For any further information write to manager of Orange A. C.

The Coraopolis Tigers will line up against the Avenidas on Saturday afternoon, October 18, rain or shine. We would like to hear from some good team for Thanksgiving day. Sewickley, Shaler Tigers, Bellevue, or any other good team. Address all games to J. Harr, Coraopolis.

The South Side High school second team will play the Allen A. C. in Allentown Friday. The S. S. H. S. would like to hear from all 60 to 70-pound teams in Western Pennsylvania for games any afternoon except Saturday. Address Ed Evans, care S. S. H. S., corner Tenth and Carson streets, South Side, Pittsburgh, Pa.

The Kingsley A. A. will practice on Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m., and the following players are requested to report: Stokes, Carr, Alyer, Laird, Kearns, Fay, Shields, Ebert, Evans, Broderick, Cavanaugh, Rapp and Coll.

Out-of-town teams wanting games will please write manager Pittsburgh Reserves, 1812 Penn avenue, Pittsburgh.

The South Side A. C. accepts the game for October 18 with the deaf mutes of Edgewood, to be played on South Side grounds. A great game is expected, as two of the strongest teams will come together. South Side A. C. is out for the 110-115 pound championship. Captjones wants all players to report at Recreation park for practice Thursday and Friday evenings, with uniforms, at 6:40 sharp.

All members of the Seminole A. C. are requested to report for practice Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock sharp. The Seminoles have not been defeated this season, having played the Big Shanties, Ohio, 6 to 0, a standstill and defeated the Navy A. C. 5 to 0. The following players are requested to report: Griner, Loper, Davis, Smith, McDonald, McClure, Radcliffe, Johns, Spicer, Whitford and Mayer. Any 65-70 pound team wanting games should address Stefl Gruver, Scioto street, Pittsburgh.

Coach Nip of the Flavels requests the following players to report for practice Thursday evening at 7:30 sharp: Alberts, Steve Lell, Briggle, Tierney, Fueller, Weiss, Collins, Fish, Davis, Driscoll, Willis, Sonick and O'Leary. The Flavels will journey to Homestead Saturday and play the crack News and Messenger A. C. of that place, and a good game is expected. Any good 90-pound out-of-town teams desiring games with the Flavels, address G. A. Tierney, 512 Carnegie building, city.

Although the Tigers of Allegheny put the bug on the Brushton Tigers Saturday, Brushton will be in fine form Saturday for their game with the strong C. A. C. team of Braddock. Brushton will have their regular team in line Saturday. Owen, who was hurt a few weeks ago, will be found at right tackle, and Lightner, Altoona's crack ex-guard, will play guard for the Brushtons for the rest of the year. The Brushton Tigers would like to hear from some good 85-90 pound team for Thanksgiving Day, out-of-town team, or Greensburg, Polladers or Jeannette Juniors preferred. Address all challenges to H. W. Gibson, 7611 Tioga street, city.

The Brushton Mohawks will play at Emsworth on Saturday, and a warm game is expected, as both teams have been putting up a fine article of ball. Coach Vogel of the Mohawks wishes the following players of the team to report for practice in uniform without fail: Aiken, Jeffries, Green, Cadwallader, Crum, Gooding, Kirby, Daley, McCormick, Gaskill and Rambo. The Mohawks as yet have no game for Thanksgiving Day. They would like to hear from Brookville High School, Trinity Hall or any other good 110-pound team within a radius of 100 miles of Pittsburgh. Address Thomas M. Aiken, 7531 Hamilton avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

The Tigers of Allegheny will practice this evening and Friday evening to get into form for the game with the strong Sterling Reserves of Wilkinsburg next Saturday. The Tigers will again play a heavy team. All players will please be on hand promptly at 7:30 p. m. The Tigers practiced Monday evening, but so many of the players had colds, resulting from Saturday's battle in the rain, that little work was done. Two of the players were hurt Saturday, leaving the team with lots of hard work to do in the way of practice. Any good 90-pound team wanting a game with the Tigers of Allegheny please address William N. Robson, 130 Allegheny market, Allegheny, Pa.

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DRAKE STABLES HAS FINE LUCK

Captured One Half the Events in Morris Park Races.

THE DEL PASO STAKES

They Were Won by Cinquevilli Who Ran One Two With Stable Partner—South Trimble Won Fairview Selling Stakes.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, Oct. 14.—Cinquevalli and Wild Thyme, the entry of Andrew Miller, ran one two in the Rancho Del Paso stakes at Morris park today. They were coupled in the betting and closed at 5 to 1, having been backed down from 8 to 1. Rigodon and Lady Lake were added starters and were at no time dangerous, finishing in the ruck. The stable took command after the first furlong had been covered and held it to the finish. Fire Eater closed very strong and finished third.

South Trimble, from the Drake stable, won the Fairview selling stakes in a drive from Huntressa. The winner was bid up to $3,705, an advance of $1,700 over his entered price. The stable retained the horse. A. Simmons did the bidding. The Drake stable won half of the card, with Charlie Grainger, Runnels and South Trimble. Two favorites won. Summaries:

Good Thing at the Start.

First race, for maiden 3-year-olds and up, last 6½ furlongs of the Withers mile—Charlie Grainger, 110, Lyne, 7 to 1 and 5 to 2, won; E. era, 115, Rice, 10 to 1 and 4 to 1, second; Aunt Grace, 112, Smith, 12 to 1 and 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:22½. Ray Rockstorm, Macana, Mary Stuart, Destitute, Patronmic, Pillager, Snarpless, The Cuckoo, White Crest, Whisp, Singing Nymph, Tangible, Worry, Miss Fisher, Princess H., Maxille and Captain R. also ran.

Second race, for 3-year-olds and upwards, to be ridden by apprentice boys, the Withers mile—Runnels, 97, Scott, 3 to 2 and out, won; Lux Casta, 92, H. Callahan, 7 to 2 and 4 to 5, second; Merito, 102, Durham, 12 to 1 and 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:42. St. Finnan and Sailor also ran.

Third race, the fifth Rancho del Paso, for 2-year-olds, the Eclipse course—*Cinquevalli, 109, O'Connor, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1, won; Wild Thyme, 112, Rumels, 8 to 1 and 2 to 1, second; Fire Water, 118, Minder, 7 to 1 and 3 to 2, third. Time, 1:11½. Merry Acrobat, Fleeting Venus, **Rigodon, **Lady Lake, Tom Peck, Examiner, Mary Lowell and ***Shorthose also ran. *Cinquevalli and Wild Thyme coupled. **Rigodon and Lady Lake added starters. ***Shorthose not to post.

Fourth race, the seventh Fairview selling, for 3-year-olds, mile and sixteenth, over the hill—South Trimble, 105, Lyne, 2 to 1 and 4 to 5, won; Huntressa, 102, Bullman, 7 to 2, 6 to 5, second; Grand Opera, 102, Smith, 2 to 1 and 4 to 5, third. Time, 1:47. De Rerek, Numeral and Honolulu also ran.

Fifth race, for 3-year-olds and up, the Withers' mile—Kilogram, 110, Odom, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, won; Major Mansfr, 100, Meade, 30 to 1 and 15 to 1, second; Booster, 100, J. Martin, 15 to 1 and 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:42. Martin Burke, Past, Bellario, Ascension, Rosefame and Meistersinger also ran.

Sixth race, handicap, for 3-year-olds and up, 1¼ miles, over the Withers course—Hunter Raine, 95, Cochran, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1, won; Andy Williams, 108, Lyne, 3 to 1 and even, second; Circus, 86, Creamer, 15 to 1 and 6 to 1, third. Time, 2:06½. Tom Kenny, Star of the West, Bar le Duc and Col. Bill also ran.

The Entries for Tomorrow.

First race, selling, steeplechase, about 2 miles—Cock Robin, Mr. Stoffel, Decameron, 153; Marvisander, Robert Morrison, 151; R. H. Stock, 148; Howard Gratz, 147; Glenvardoch, 146.

Second race, high weight handicap, Eclipse course—Gorita, 114; River Pirate, 110; Syrilin, 108; Schoolcraft, 102; Belle of Lexington, 105; Trinity Belle, 102; Meistersinger, 100; Evelyn Maud, 97; Invincible, Essence, 96; Sweet Billie, Cinderilla, Guesswork, 93; Sparkle, Esher, 88; Navasota, 87.

Third race, McGrathiana, selling, ¾ of Withers mile—Huntressa, 115; Rossignol, 110; Muddora, 106; Lady Sterling, Mary Worth, Pearl Finder, 105; Moon Daisy, Ascension, Cuenita, 100.

Fourth race, selling, ¾ of Withers mile—Christine A., 110, Forwood, Scoffer, Bowermore, 105; Alice Cary, 102; Dark Planet, Gallant Smith, 100; Ipse Dixit, Star and Garter, Squid, 97; Harrison, Earl of Warwick, Ring Dove, 95.

Fifth race, handicap, Withers mile—Wyeth, 113; Cameron, 111; Shuthrift, 107; Rockwater, 104; Dom Paul, 102, Fat Excellence, 85.

Sixth race, selling, 11-16 mile, over the hill—McWilliams, 115; Astor, 107; Lone Fisherman, Ben Howard, 106; Queen Carnival, 105; Prince Richard, 104; Loone Lesking, 101; Titian, 100; Ivernia, 98; Tenagra, 97; Rightaway, Amur, 96.

THE RACES AT WORTH.

Kenilworth Had the Speed and Won the Feature Event.

CHICAGO, Oct. 14.—Kenilworth broke in front in the feature race of the Worth card today, had all his speed and was never headed, finishing the 7½ furlong journey half a length in front of Antolotta, with Automaton third. Nitrate was made favorite for this race, the third on the card, but he had none of his usual speed and finished outside the money after he had been backed from 11 to 5 to 7 to 5. Weather clear and cool; track heavy. Summaries:

First race, 5½ furlongs—Fake, 117, Pieratt, 12 to 1, won; Evelyn Bird, 114, Robbins, 10 to 1, second; Edinborough, 123, C. Kelly, 50 to 1, third. Time, 1:10 2-5. Best Man, Reina de Cuba, Corr, Lady Conrary, Silver Fizz, Ledus, Sullivan, Little Jack Horner, Haydon and Montanse also ran.

Second race, 5 furlongs—Foxy Kane, 116, T. Dean, 3 to 1, won; Appleswell, 97, W. Hicks, 20 to 1, second; My Surprise, 105, Buchanan, 7 to 2, third. Time, 1:08. Gold Bride, Rankin, Albemarle, Goody Two Shoes, Penance, Leash, Flyer, Small Talk, Olivilo and Instar also ran.

Third race, 7½ furlongs—Worth, 117, R. Steele, 4 to 1, won; LaGoleta, 112, J. Daly, 7 to 2, second, Automaton, 108, Donnelly, 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:37 3-5. Nitrate, Major Dixon, Kazan, Gallant and Commodore Dewey also ran.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs—Gregor K., 116, Donnelly, 4 to 1, won; Barca, 103, T. Dean, 7 to 1, second; Alcyano, 109, J. Daly, 13 to 5, third. Time, 1:14 4-5. Maud F. M., The Don, Lendin and Prince of Endurance also ran.

Fifth race, one mile—Sombrero, 112, J. Daly, 3 to 5, won; Hoodwink, 96, Helgeson, 30 to 1, second; Brazz, 102, T. Dean, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:43 2-5. Jaubert, Caliban and Jack Demund also ran.

Sixth race, 1¼ miles—Harrack, 107, Coburn, 5 to 1, won; Chickadee, 83, W. Hicks, 20 to 1, second; Alaska, 109, Donnelly, 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:57½. Little Elkin, Strangest, Star Cotton, Compass and Blessed Damozel also ran.

Worth entries for Wednesday:

First race, 6 furlongs, maidens—Arvensis, 106; Olivilo, 107; Leander, 104; The Cossack, North Pole, Our Cora, Lord Melbourne, Banter, 103; L'Amanda, 101; Rankin, 99; Snare, Wyben, Vestia, 98.

Second race, 7 furlongs, selling—Macgyle, 110; J. V. Kirby, 106; Lacrimae, 106; Silver Fizz, 105; Beabina, 104; Annie Thompson, Silurian, 102; Promis, 101; Eva Rice, Pirates Queen, Light Ball, Nevy, Faquita, Miss Choice, 95; Amivante, 92; Queen of Diximna, 90.

Third race, 1 1-16th miles, selling—Caliban, 111; Leviathan, 105; Wing Dance, 102; Count Schaffgotsch, 101; Chickadee, 14; Leonyd, Meme Wastell, 92.

Fourth race, special, 1⅛ miles—Sombrero, McChesney, 122.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs, handicap—Federal, 117; Vulcain, 107; Weswift, 116; Jimines, 112; St. Cuthbert, The Conqueror, 111; Burnie Burton, 108; Money Miss, 107; Stuyve, 106; L. Firenze, 100; Prince of Africa, 102; Andes, 95; Ahola, 90. (Vulcain and Federal Hildreth entry.)

Sixth race, 1⅛ miles—Flying Torpedo, 107; Prince Conrad, 106; Ben Eder, 105; Falls Rard, Scarlet Lily, Lady Chorister, 102; Homestead, 100.

Seventh race, mile and 70 yards, selling—Cougar, 110; Althea, Malay, 109; Western Duke, 108; Beanna, 107; False Lead, Cherries, King Barleycorn, 105; Leo Nowell, 104; The Caxton, Alline Abbott, 102; Lissonne, Irving Mayor, Ida V., Lady Meddlesome, 100.

NOT IN PITTSBURGH.

Winnie Mercer Says the American Will Not Invade the City.

DETROIT, Oct. 14.—(Special.)—Winnie Mercer came in from Chicago today. He said to your correspondent that while he was in Cincinnati Joe Kelley stated to him right out that Crawford belonged to Detroit, and that he ought to play there. Mercer said there was no doubt but what that player will wear a Detroit uniform. He also said that Donovan and Kitson will be here when the players are ordered to report.

He thinks that Willis will pitch for the local club; that Elberfeld has signed some sort of an agreement with McGraw, but that he will probably stick to Detroit. Mercer says the New York situation is an open one, and that there is very little possibility of the American entering Pittsburgh.

THE LEXINGTON RACES ON AGAIN

Trotters and Pacers Got a Chance After Three Days' Rest.

BAD ACCIDENT IN RACE

While Scoring in 2:18 Trot There Was a Mix-Up and Driver Middleton Was Badly Hurt. Favorites Met Defeat.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 14.—After postponement for three days on account of the bad condition of the track, the racing was continued today. In the first heat of the fourth race a serious accident occurred, which will keep Driver Middleton in the hospital for several weeks.

While scoring in this heat, Laurette, with Middleton in the sulky, swerved into Lady Catherine, and both sulkies were overturned. Johnson, the driver of Lady Catherine, escaped without injury. Middleton's foot was caught in the wheel of his sulky, and he was dragged 20 yards. It was found on examination that his left leg was broken below the knee, his knee cap dislocated and he was otherwise bruised. Lady Catherine ran away a mile and later finished fourth and sixth in the race. Dr. Strong, the favorite, won the race in straight heats.

Lord Derby easily defeated Chain Shot and Monte Carlo in the 2:06 trot. The 2:14 trot went to Invader, after six heats. A. J. D. was the favorite and Balda second choice. Walnut Hall defeated the favorite, Charley Mac, in the 2:11 trot. In the unfinished 2:25 pace, Dorothy Wilton won two heats. Track was slow. Summary:

First race, 2:11-class trotting, two in three, purse $1,500.

Walnut Hall, br. h., by Conductor (Henyon)	1	2	1
Charley Mac, blk. g. (Raybould)	2	1	2
Lilly Young, g. m. (Sweringer)	3	4	3
Belle Kuser, br. m. (Hudson)	4	3	4
Palm Leaf, br. g. (McCarthy)	5	6	ro
Alan, b. g. (Turner)	6	5	ro
Van Zandt, b. m. (Devereaux)	8	7	ro
Alice Barnes, b. m. (Spear)	7	8	dr
Bessie Owens, ch. m. (Dickerson)	dr		

Time—2:12½, 2:12, 2:11¾.

Second race, free-for-all to wagon, trotting, two in three, amateurs to drive, cup.

Ida Highwood, b. m. by Highwood (E. E. Smathers)	1	1	
King, b. g. (David Lamar)	2	2	

Time—2:16, 2:13¾.

Third race, 2:14 class, trotting, three in five, purse $1,000.

Invader, b. g., by Jay Bird (Damost)	2	2	1	1	1
A. J. D., b. g. (Walker)	2	8	1	2	2
Belilia, b. m. (Maxfield)	1	7	9	8	6
Kelmont, b. g. (Dykerson)	7	1	5	9	8
Crescent, b. g. (Curry)	4	2	6	7	7
Joymaker, b. g. (McCoy)	3	4	3	5	5
Roscoe Medium, b. g. (McMahon)	5	3	7	5	3
Betsey Tell, blk. m. (McCarthy)	5	10	4	3	4
Black Lady, blk. m. (Geers)	13	6	10	6	ro
Exeline, blk. m. (Ames)	6	11	8	dr	
Baron Bell, b. h. (Hudson)	10	5	dis		
Philip Ex, br. g. (Garvey)	12	12	dis		
Cretonnes, b. g. (Keys)	11	12	dis		
Alfred Star, br. h. (Cahill)	11	12	dis		

Time—2:13¾, 2:14¾, 2:12½, 2:11¾, 2:14¾, 2:18¾.

WILL PLAY IN NEW YORK.

Dave Fultz Will Be With American League's New Team.

The statement made by Dave Fultz while here with the Lafayette football eleven Monday, when he denied having signed with the New York or Brooklyn club for next season, but had made up his mind to stick to the American league, bears out the following special from Chicago:

"It was learned on absolutely reliable authority here tonight that Dave Fultz, the star center fielder on Connie Mack's champion Athletics, will play in New York next season, but not with McGraw. He has signed a contract with the American league and will fill one of the outer gardens on the team which will represent Ban Johnson in New York next season.

"Fultz has been credited with signing with both Hanlon and McGraw, but as a matter of fact, he did not put his signature to a contract until about 10 days ago, and then he renewed his allegiance to the American league."

PLAYED THE GAME IN RAIN AND COLD

CHAMPIONS HAD LIVELY TIME AT MANOR.

Pounded the Pitcher Until Battery Took to Woods—Tommy Leach Tried His Hand.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

IRWIN, PA., Oct. 14.—One thousand fans in winter overcoats, a cold, drizzling rain, but great enthusiasm, was the best Manor could do in greeting the Pittsburgh world beaters this afternoon.

For a while it looked as if the rain would have the better of it, but it ceased shortly after 3 o'clock and the game was started.

There was not much doing on either side until the fifth inning, when Burke started a slaughter of Stottler that was fearful to behold. Hits, doubles and homers went fieldward and over the fence so rapidly and repeatedly that there was a sort of a continuous performance of base running until 10 men had crossed the plate. Stottler gave up and Demoss finished the game.

In the last inning for Manor Tommy Leach begged to be allowed to go in the box. He tossed in a few and the best the home team could do off his delivery was a base on balls, a home run and a single, that gave them three runs. The game was called after the seventh on account of rain and because Manor's battery had taken to the tall timber. Score:

Pittsburgh	1	1	0	4	10	0	*	—16	17	4
Manor	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3—	5	5	7

Home runs—Sebring. Fish. Two-base hits—Cremer, Leach, Burke 2, Leever, Phelps. Bases on balls—Off Stottler 4. Stolen bases—Pittsburgh 6, Manor 3. Struck out—By Phillippe 7, by Stottler 3. Umpire—Harley.

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COLLEGE TEAMS READY FOR PLAY

Some Stiff Football Games Are Scheduled for Today.

LIGHT PRACTICE WORK

The Players on the Big Teams Were Given Easy Work in View of Hard Struggles on Cridirons Today.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

New Haven, Conn., Oct. 14.—A 30-minute half was played at the Yale football practice this afternoon, but only a few of the regular players were lined up. Hoit and Goss were not in the scrimmaging, and Chadwick, Metcalfe, Glass and Coffin remained only five minutes. The Yale coachers expect the University of Vermont, which comes here tomorrow, to make a stiff argument, in view of the fact that the team played Brown a 10 to 0 game, and therefore the coaches gave the veterans a light afternoon. Today Moorhead was in uniform for the first time since he injured his shoulder, two weeks ago, and took Coffin's place at right end.

PRINCETON, N. J., Oct. 14.—(Special.)—The Tigers had their usual long game against the scrub today and Trainer Robinson did not save his men, for the game with Haverford is not expected to be very hard, in spite of the fact that the latter scored on Penn. The Princeton team seemed inspired with new life today. Whether it was the beautiful weather or Frank Morse ('95), the old Tiger halfback who ran around behind the team in a wildly excited manner shouting instructions and urging them on, it would be hard to tell. Anyway, the 'varsity managed to cross their opponent's goal three times in 15 minutes, chiefly by straight line plays, and wound the game up with a pretty goal from the field at the 25-yard line by Vetterlein after he had previously missed one. The changes made yesterday were still in vogue and the line seemed to take a sudden brace on the defensive, being almost impregnable.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Oct. 14.—(Special.)—"Secret practice, positively no admittance," was the sign that confronted the daily visitors to Franklin field this afternoon, and as a result the south stand was bare and the student body which by its enthusiasm has helped the football squad to lend every effort in its practice was absent.

Thanks to the courtesy of Pennsylvania football committee, newspaper men were not excluded, and the few who were present witnessed nearly two hours of the hardest kind of practice and saw Coach Williams assisted by Bull, Hedges, Vail and Harry Thayer, run the 'varsity and second 'varsity squads through some very interesting formations. Gettysburg college, the opponent of the Red and Blue tomorrow afternoon, will meet an entirely different team than has been playing on Franklin field the past fortnight. The candidates went about their work with a vigor which forbodes ill.

ROOTERS WILL TURN OUT BY THE HUNDREDS

W. U. P. and Westminster Teams Meet Today and There Will Be Lots of Fun.

This afternoon at the Colosseum, W. U. P. will meet their old football rivals, Westminster college eleven. It is the custom at the university to close up all departments to allow the students to attend the games in a body, and this custom will be observed today.

From a comparison of scores, Westminster seems to have a shade the stronger team, but the improvement in the W. U. P. line will no doubt offset this. Grove City college was beaten by W. U. P. and Allegheny college by the same score and Westminster defeated Allegheny last Saturday 6 to 0.

McClymans and Wahlgren, the two big tackles, who have been laid up since the beginning of the season, will be in line for W. U. P., as will also the new guard, Alexander, who weighs 217 pounds.

The game will be called at 3 o'clock to enable Westminster to catch the evening train for home. The line-up of both teams will be as follows:

W. U. P.	Position.	Westminster.
Stoudroyer	C.	Tennent
Jackson-McClymens	L. T.	Metz
Boyd	L. G.	Russell
Hankey	Center.	Paden
Douglass-Alexander	R. G.	Crooks
Wahlgren	R. T.	Elliot
McGogney-Edmundson	R. E.	McBride
McCready-Carpenter	Q. B.	Moore
Martin (Captain)	L. H.	Sampson
Bugh-Hawkins	R. H.	Christy
Scerist	F. B.	Minteer

POSTPONED THE GAME.

Pittsburgh Stars and Cottage Eleven Will Not Meet Until Tomorrow.

Owing to a muddy field, today's game at Greensburg between the Pittsburgh eleven and the Cottage team of Homewood has been postponed until tomorrow afternoon. In the game with Cottage it is the intention of Coach Richardson to use straight football. Richardson expects a hard enough game to put his team in shape for Bucknell on Saturday. The fact that Bucknell has a heavy team, and beat Carlisle last Saturday by the decisive score of 18 to 0, is a certain indication that the Lewisburg boys will give the Pittsburgh league team all the football it wants when the two teams come together at the Colosseum.

The Cottage team is as strong as the average college eleven, and on a muddy field there is always a possibility for both sides scoring, so Coach Richardson will not be surprised if the Cottage men turn the trick tomorrow afternoon.

RACES CALLED OFF.

Beaver Falls Track Is in Very Bad Condition.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., Oct. 14.—(Special.)—The race meet that was being arranged here by the Beaver Valley Driving club, to be held on the track of the Beaver County Agricultural society at this place the latter part of this month, was declared off at a meeting of the club held last night. This action was deemed advisable owing to the lateness of the season and from the fact that the frequent rains have put the track in such condition that it is very improbable that it could be got in shape again this fall to race on. The members at least thought it risky and concluded the best plan was to decide it off and hold a big meet early next summer.

Boy Football Player Injured.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Oct. 14.—(Special.)—Joseph Howard, 13 years old, member of a juvenile football eleven, suffered a fracture of his right leg in a football game after school hours today. He was under the pile of players after a hard scrimmage.

Pitcher Joss Married.

MONROE, MICH., Oct. 14.—Addie Joss, the Cleveland American league pitcher, and Miss Lillian Shinevar of Toledo were secretly married here last Saturday. They left Monroe the same evening.

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428 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—Bellevue lot, level, 40x120, on Orchard ave., near Thomas ave.; decided bargain, $500. Act quick. Apply G. Wehrstedt, corner Thomas and Orchard ave., Bellevue.

FOR SALE—Five lots 25x100, located on electric road, Sheraden borough; worth $500; for quick sale will take $250. E. W. McGinnis, Room 504 Times building.

FOR SALE—McKee plan, Sewickley; $50.00 to $85.00 per ft. frontage.
JOSEPH P. RANKIN & CO.,
428 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—Lots in Mayfield, $500 and up. Call 1106 Arrott building. Phone Court 210.

Business Properties.

BUSINESS PROPERTY.
FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN.
Three-story frame, 14 rooms and store room, corner lot, 32x62, 1212 Beaver ave., Allegheny. Price $5,250. Mortgage $3,000.
REAL ESTATE AND BUSINESS EXCHANGE,
506 Fourth ave.

Coal Lands.

I HAVE about 3,000 acres of Clearfield vein coal to sell. Address Lock Box 451, Belle Vernon, Pa.

For Sale or Exchange.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Over 100 farms; many near Pittsburgh. Send for list.
J. C. A. NEAL,
425 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Two fine building lots, Duquesne ave., Allegheny; 50x85; level. What have you to offer? J. H. Jahn & Co., 12 Federal st.

"THIS FOR THAT"—804 Park building, Pittsburgh; trades anything you have for anything you want; exchange city property for farms.

$2,000—STOCK JEWELRY—$2,000.
Will trade for vacant lot; make offer.
"THIS FOR THAT," 804 Park Bldg.

EXCHANGE—Clear farms for city improved, showing 6 per cent income. E. W. McGinnis, room 504 Times building.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Fine level unencumbered lots in Eleventh ward, Allegheny. Box 678, Pittsburgh.

Business Opportunities.

Meat Market—Good location in Allegheny; rent $22 a month; sales over $400 a week; cash trade; will clear $200 a month; no wagon; price $750.

Meat, Butter and Egg Store—One of the best located stores in McKeesport; sales $100 daily; no wagon; best of reason for selling; investigate; price $1,000.

Grocery Stores at $450, $500, $700, $1,000, $1,500, $2,000; all of which will bear investigation.

Restaurant, well located, at Carnegie; rent $16 a month, including 2 living rooms; receipts $500 a month, clearing $100 to $125 a month; price $500.
ZIMMISER & CO.,
426 Fourth ave.

$250—CONFECTIONERY SPECIAL—$250.
Must be sold this week; store located in the best part of the S. S., where there is always business; well priced and doing large cash trade; rent for store and three living rooms, $14. Call today.

CONFECTIONERY and Cigar Store—Neat little place in Glenwood; 3 living rooms; low rent; price, including furniture, $350.

CIGAR AND CONFECTIONERY—The best small confectionery in Allegheny; 3 living rooms; rent $15; owner is leaving on account of ill health and will sacrifice for $400.
THE JAS. MURTHA CO., 31, 339 Fifth ave.

A NO. 1 SALOON and Cafe, centrally located, in city, doing a good business; 20 living rooms all occupied; 5-year lease; this is a bargain at $1,250.

BOTTLING WORKS and property, consisting of 6 living rooms, bottling machinery, 5 horses, harness and wagons; all in good condition; price $1,000; will sell bottling works alone, $750; rent property $20 per month.

MILK DEPOT and Grocery, located in Oakland, doing nice business; rent $50 month, including 7 living rooms; stock in good condition; price $1,000.
Grocery stores in city, $500 to $2,000.
THE PUBLIC TRUST CO.,
236 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—

FLOUR MILL,

Four stands of rolls, hopper scales, two flour packers; shipping about 400 barrels per month to city trade and doing about 1,000 bushels per month exchange trade. Capacity, 85 barrels in 24 hours. Price, $6,500.

JAMES E. GLASS,
No. 405 Grant st.

PLUMBING BUSINESS—Town of 7,000 population near city; only one other small shop in town; business runs $23,000 annually; $6,000 worth of work to be finished; good reasons for selling; tools and stock invoice about $2,000.
GEORGE & CO.,
429 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE.

Business Opportunities.

A GOOD WEEKLY INCOME GUARANTEED to you on a small investment by our Stock-Redemption plan; highest references; you may withdraw your money on demand; send for "Our Financial Plan." Central Security Co., 96 Wall st., New York.

BUSINESS of all kinds sold, partners secured for established business, stock companies organized and industrial enterprises financed; all business strictly confidential.
THE PUBLIC TRUST CO., 236 Fourth ave.

BROKERAGE BUSINESS—In city; selling hosiery, underwear and gents' furnishing goods to best dealers in city; does $65,000 worth of business per year; price $850.
GRACIE & NOAH, 431 Fourth ave.

BLACKSMITH SHOP—In Butler county; host stand; one acre of ground and good buildings; price, including property, $2,500.
GRACIE & NOAH, 431 Fourth ave.

GROCERY—In Allegheny, old established stand, doing business $50 days; rent $40 mo., with rooms; price $1,200.
CAVANAGH CO., 431 Fourth ave.

GROCERY—In city, good location, doing business $200 week; rent $40, including 8 living rooms; price $800.
CAVANAGH CO., 431 Fourth ave.

LIVERY AND SALE STABLE.
Biggest money maker in Pittsburgh.
E. G. ORR & CO., Park Bldg.

WHOLESALE liquor rectifying business; only one in county; doing $40,000 year. Write Dobbs, 426 Fourth ave.

IF you want to buy or sell any kind of business, see CAVANAGH CO., 431 Fourth ave.

THE JAMES MURTHA CO., 339 Fifth ave., can sell your business, city or country.

BUSINESS CHANCES—Send for list. Estep & Co., 326 Fourth ave.

E. G. ORR & CO., buy and sell stores. Removed to Park building.

Machinery.

BOILERS.
Horizontal Tubular.
1 72"x16', with 3½" tubes.
4 66"x16', with 4" tubes.
1 66"x20', with 4" tubes.
5 60"x14', with 4" tubes.
1 54"x12', with 4½" tubes.
Miscellaneous Boilers.
6 200 H. P. Corliss Vertical boilers.
1 125 H. P. Heine Safety Vertical boiler.
5 125 H. P. National water tube boiler.
1 100 H. P. Cahall waste heat boiler.
1 100 H. P. Locomotive portable boiler.
2 40 H. P. Locomotive portable boilers.
ALSO A FULL LINE OF ENGINES, PUMPS AND ROLLING MILL MACHINERY.
WICKES BROTHERS,
Forty-fifth st. and A. V. Ry. Both 'Phones.
City office 308 Frick bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

A plant just purchased in which are:
8—60x16 Tubular Boilers.
2—175 H. P., P. B. & W. Boilers.
2—10½x22 Blowing Mats. Engines.
1—150 H. P. Westinghouse Engine.
1—14x16 Vertical Engine.
1—12½x15 M. & H. Engine.
1—80 light arc machine.
2—30 light arc machines.
1—Iron build ing, 42x60.
8—Platform scales.
Assorted lot of blacksmith tools and vises.
1—5-ton Traveling crane.
2—Power hoisting machines.
About 50 tons of shafting, pulleys, etc.

ATWELL MACHINERY COMPANY,
507 Hamilton bldg.
Bell 'phone 1053 Hiland.
P. & A. 'phone 2699 Main.

FOR SALE—Boilers and engines, all sizes, from 3 to 125 H. P., stationary and portable, upright boilers and engines; large assortment kept in stock; shafting, pulleys and hangers, and large lot of miscellaneous machinery; second-hand belting, leather and rubber; large stock of all sizes at low prices; machinery of all kinds bought and exchanged.
REDMOND S. YOUNG,
108-110 Park way, Allegheny, Pa.

FOR SALE—At Pittsburgh, a pair of good tubular boilers of about 60 horse power; also a number of second hand pumps of different sizes and several small iron tanks holding from 50 to 75 barrels.

Apply—Mr. G. H. Weaver, Superintendent, THE ATLANTIC REFINING COMPANY. Fifty-seventh and Butler Sts., City.

FOR SALE—One 50-horse power gas engine, in excellent condition; also one screw power press, 10' long, capable of exerting about 200 tons pressure; also shafting, pulleys and other tinners' hand tools. Inquire of MARLIN & CO., INC., Twenty-third st., Pittsburgh.

GAS ENGINES.
Woodworking Machinery.
PEERLESS MANUFACTURING CO.,
503 House Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANTS.
Direct connection, or belted to Nash gas engines. Briggs Machinery Co., Fourth and Liberty.

N. C. DAVISON.
Gas and Steam Engines, Boilers, Pumps, Compressors. 508 Frick Bldg.

Pianos.

UPRIGHT PIANOS, $100, $125.

At Henricks Piano Co., Ltd.

In our clearance sale now going on (to make room for over 200 pianos arriving before December 1), we have about 25 new and used pianos on offer at ridiculous prices, and submit these sample bargains:

$350 Emerson piano	$100
$375 Hardman piano	$125
$400 Hallett & Davis	$150
$450 Steinway piano	$165
$450 Knabe piano	$185
$450 Kroeger parlor piano	$225
$450 Schaefer piano	$250
$500 Schiller piano	$285
$600 Decker piano	$350

Extra inducements in way of easy payments. Buyers should look up these bargains. Cut this out to locate place, 611 and 613 Smithfield st., five doors from Sixth ave. Open Saturday evenings.

PIANO—Expensive famous upright cover, stool; family sells cheap. Box 765, Pittsburgh.

Typewriters.

FOR SALE,
FOR HIRE.
Remington Typewriters.
Our rental department is well stocked with machines which are constantly kept in perfect working order. Prompt service and reasonable rates guaranteed.
REMINGTON TYPEWRITER COMPANY,
428 Wood st. Telephone Bell 1540 Court; P. & A. 261.

BIG selection of guaranteed typewriters; all makes at lowest prices from $10 up; rentals $2. Consolidated Typewriter Exchange,
339 Fifth ave.

Sewing Machines.

WE repair all makes of sewing machines; lowest prices; all work warranted; genuine needles and attachments for all makes.
H. CARTER,
131 Sixth st., next to Bijou. Bell 'phone 2340, ring 2, Grant.

Birds and Dogs.

FINE singing canary and brass cage, $2.50; birds guaranteed; fine lot of beagle hounds, spaniels, white poodles and other dogs. New York Bird Store, 815 Smithfield st.

Horses and Vehicles.

JUST ARRIVED—Two carloads of heavy draught pit mules; general horses. Philip Steinmiller Sales Stables, 110 Second ave.

Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—Pair diamond earrings; pure white and perfect; weighs about 2½ k.; original cost $425; will sell for $249; call at once. Market Street Loan Office, 214 Market st., Pittsburgh.

BIRDSEYE maple bedroom suite at half price; in first-class condition; can be seen at M. Kaufmann's residence, during the morning. Corner Forbes and Wightman sts., East End.

TWO Linotype and Cottrell printing press for sale. Excellent condition. J. W. Hutchison, 1207 N. Seventh st., Harrisburg, Pa.

LEVIS for books. 829 Liberty st.

PERSONAL.

"STOP THAT LEAK"—Hough & Co., world's best asphalt paint used by Pennsylvania Railroad Co. and Pittsburgh traction companies. Best material in market for tin and iron surfaces; elements don't affect natural asphalt. Hough & Co., Painters, 308 Grant st., Pittsburgh, sole manufacturers. Any quantity delivered free.

PERSONAL—Alcohol baths for rheumatism by MRS. GRANT. Facial and scalp massage by MISS HALL, 608 Penn ave.

PERSONAL—Mrs. Le Sourd, masseuse, chiropodist and manicure, 24 floor Herron building, 526 Federal. Allegheny.

PERSONAL—Massage and manicuring. Elsie Mills, 800 Penn ave., second floor.

PERSONAL—Madame Petgen, dressmaker, has opened parlors at 250 Shady ave.

LOST.

LOST—Boston bull terrier, brindle, white breast and neck. Reward for return to Gilbert McElwee, Forbes st. and Woodlawn ave., Pittsburgh.

LOST—On Sunday evening, Oct. 11, 1902, between Fourth and Fifth aves. on Smithfield st., $50 bill. Reward if returned to Z 67, The Gazette.

LOST—Bull terrier bitch, 1½ years old. Reward at 1216 Buena Vista st., Allegheny.

DETECTIVE AGENCIES.

M'SWEENEY'S Interstate Detective Agency, 425 Diamond st., Pittsburgh, Pa.; transacts a general detective business; all communications strictly confidential.

FOUND.

WOUND—Reliable watch repairing. Cash paid for old gold. Carlot. Hauch, 641 Smithfield st., Pittsburgh.

AUCTION SALES.

AUCTION SALE.
Will be sold at auction by order of the administratrix, to close estate, at No. 239 Fourth avenue,
Monday, October 20, at 3:30 p. m., the following stocks:
142 shares Casino Mining Company.
1 share Knickerbocker Guide Company.
869 shares Foxhall Tunnel & Mining Company, common.
325 shares Foxhall Tunnel & Mining Company, preferred.
10 shares Wilkins Spiral Shoe Button Fastener Company.
JOHN D. BAILEY,
Auctioneer.

THE PITTSBURGH AUCTION CO., LTD., 618-620-622 Wylie ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.; auction sales Mondays and Thursdays of each week at 10 a. m.; consignments solicited; buy and sell everything second-hand; call and see us.

PATENTS.

PATENTS—O. D. Levis, 25 years attorney, 643 Smithfield st., Pittsburgh.

LEGAL NOTICES.

W. J. BRENNEN, Attorney-at-Law, No. 501 Wylie avenue, Pittsburgh. State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss: In the court of common pleas No. 1, No. 352 March term, 1902. Maud J. Pledge, by her next friend, S. E. Stewart, vs. Andrew W. Pledge. And now, to-wit, September 27, 1902, on motion the court appoints Edmund B. Smith, Esq., commissioner, to take testimony in the above case and report the same to court. (Seal.) By the court. From the record, A. J. McQuitty, prothonotary. To Andrew W. Pledge, respondent: You will please take notice that the undersigned having been appointed commissioner to take testimony in the above case and report the same to court, will attend to the duties of his appointment at the office of W. J. Brennen, Esq., No. 501-3 Wylie avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., on Monday, November 10, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m., when and where you may attend if you see proper. Edmund B. Smith, Commissioner.

JOHN H. MUELLER, Attorney-at-Law, St. Nicholas building. In the court of quarter sessions of Allegheny county, No. —, September term, 1902. Notice is hereby given that the application of Thomas M. Wright for transfer of retail liquor license granted to William H. Kirwan at No. 1576 March sessions, 1902, for the unexpired term for the ensuing year, in Lincoln township, on the Perrysville and Zelienople plank road, known as the Oak Grove hotel, Allegheny county, Pa., has been filed in the clerk of court's office of Allegheny county this 14th day of October, 1902, and at the expiration of 10 days the same will be certified to court for hearing on Saturday, October 25, 1902, at 9:30 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as the attention of the court can be had, at which time all persons interested in said petition will be heard. George W. Miller, Clerk of courts.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on the 22d day of October, 1902, by Frank H. Patterson, John D. Evans and A. M. Neeper, under the act of assembly entitled, "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations, approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called Iron City Transfer Company, the character and object of which is to maintain and operate vehicles for the transportation, for hire, of persons and property, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and supplements thereto. A. M. Neeper, Solicitor, 1516 Frick Building.

ROBB & MILLER, Attorneys-at-Law, 450 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh. Notice is hereby given that a partnership heretofore existing between William J. Burgan and Joseph J. Smith, under the firm name of the J. J. Smith Supply Company of the borough of Carnegie, Allegheny county, state of Pennsylvania, was dissolved on the 1st day of September, 1902, and the business will hereafter be carried on by the said William J. Burgan, to whom all persons owing the said partnership are requested to make immediate payment. William J. Burgan, Joseph J. Smith.

CARNEY & MARTIN, Attorneys-at-Law, 426 Diamond street. Notice is hereby given that an application has been filed in this office on October 14, 1902, for transfer of the retail liquor license of Adam Gacka, granted at No. 612 March term, 1902, at No. 104 South Twelfth street, Twenty-eighth ward, city of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, Pa., to Joseph Kopera, and that the same will be heard in the court of Quarter sessions of said county on Saturday, October 25, 1902, at 9 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as the court will hear said application. George W. Miller, Clerk of Courts.
Pittsburgh, Pa., Sept. 12, 1902.

NOTICE—Whereas, by the last will and testimentary of the estate of Martha Wiley, late of Pittsburgh, deceased, have been granted to the subscriber, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent will make known the same without delay to Joseph Z. Dickson, Executor, rooms 1114-18 Westinghouse building, corner of Ninth st. and Penn ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

DUFF & CARMACK, Attorneys-at-Law, Bakewell building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Joseph Rowley Fricke, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Maria G. Louden, Administratrix, Soho school, Fourteenth ward, Pittsburgh, Pa.

N. W. SHAFER, Attorney-at-Law, Frick building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of William Fowler, late of Ross township, Allegheny county, have been

THE STOCK MARKET CLOSED AT NET GAINS

Confidence in the Coal Strike Settlement and Rumored Government Bond Purchase the Factors--Money Market Outlook.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

Responding to the announcement from the White House, foreshadowing a settlement of the coal strike, the eastern stock market opened strong at advances for the railway list ranging from ½ to 2 per cent, and in some of the specialties at still larger gains. London prices were also higher, and during the first few minutes after the opening the strength was maintained. This rise, however, coming on top of that of the preceding day, which was in the nature of discounting the strike settlement, represented handsome profits to those who had bought on the decline early Monday morning, and these purchasers proceeded to take profits. The result was a reaction from the initial prices, followed by a period of dullness, but later in the day the general market displayed a healthier tone, and it finally closed strong at or near the highest prices, and in almost every instance at net gains over the previous day. Accompanying the final rally was the report that Secretary Shaw had purchased a block of $20,000,000 government bonds, the latter being what is known as the "long fours," but the rumor was not confirmed up to the close of business hours. The action of the bond market did not indicate such purchase, the issue in question being slightly easier at 137¼ bid, but at various times during the day there were rumors of negotiations for the sale of a large block of bonds to the treasury. If the amount mentioned should be purchased, it would mean the release of about $27,500,000 cash to the market. The total amount of the "long fours" now outstanding is about $134,000,000, and within the past few days the secretary has rejected tenders at 138¾, on the ground that the price was too high; but Wall street professes to believe that the purchase of a large block of bonds for the relief of the money market was the consideration demanded by Mr. Morgan for making a concession that would render possible the arbitration of the dispute.

It would be well for that part of the public that looks for an immediate resumption of a "bull" movement in the stock market to get an appreciation of the real condition of the money market. The latter is firm if not stringent all over the country. The most severe pinch is felt in Wall street, but manufacturers and merchants are beginning to feel the pressure, although they are now and will in the immediate future be given first consideration by the banks. It may help to an appreciation if a few figures are quoted from official records. Last week, for instance, the bank clearings of the country aggregated $2,511,000,000, being an increase of $418,000,000 over the same week last year and an increase of $910,000,000 over the same week two years ago. This is a remarkable showing of business expansion, undreamed of two years ago. Now as to the money in circulation. On October 1 the total was $2,275,000,000, which is an increase of $48,000,000 over the corresponding period last year and an increase of $152,000,000 over the amount in circulation two years ago. In other words, the business of the country has been running at the rate of nearly a billion a week over the total at this season two years ago, while the total of all kinds of money in circulation during the same period has increased to the extent of only $152,000,000. The showing made by the associated banks of New York is equally remarkable. Last Saturday their total deposits (including the $40,000,000 government money) were $872,000,000, or $2,000,000 less than their total loans. At the corresponding date a year ago their deposits were $70,000,000 larger than their loans, and two years ago deposits were $54,000,000 larger than loans. There can, therefore, be no charge against the banks that they are not loaning up to the limit. They evidently feel that they have loaned up foo close, and the calling of loans now from which stock market operators suffer is for the purpose of strengthening the position of the banks. Had the expected supply of gold come from abroad, stock market operators would not have been called upon to liquidate; but foreign money markets have advanced, postponing gold imports, while the country's demand for money increases, and there is no other recourse but calling loans from Wall street.

As to the future, we have the following considerations. Since last May, while the money market has been steadily growing firmer from a legitimate demand, one important industry, anthracite coal mining, has been stagnant. The loss to business from the strike has been estimated at $150,000,000. A resumption of mining to the full capacity will make a fresh demand for money, and for a purpose much more important than the temporary rise or fall of speculative stock values. The coal business will certainly have precedence over speculators in application at bank for money. Simultaneous with this fresh demand is the demand for moving the crops. Last year the total production of wheat, corn and oats amounted to a little more than 3,000,000,000 bushels. The production of the same cereals this year is estimated at 3,960,000,000 bushels. Here is an increase of 960,000,000 bushels over 1901 and an increase of more than 500,000,000 bushels over the bountiful yield of 1900. So far as corn is concerned, the world's markets are bare, and it may be expected that the movement of this grain will be earlier and in greater volume than usual. All this means prosperity for the country, big earnings for the railroads, employment for labor, but it also means increased demand for money, the supply of which cannot be increased in corresponding ratio. The trade situation is encouraging to the investor to retain his securities, because the intrinsic value and earning power behind them is increasing; but the money situation is against the purchaser on margin, because he must pay a higher rate for loans than he realizes in dividends on stocks.

In Pittsburgh there was also an improvement in the tone of the market, but the volume of business fell off, the sales of stock reaching only 2,500 shares, or less than half an average day's business of late. Trading is held in check by the condition of the local money market. Apparently brokers are able to take care of their margined accounts, but they are unable to increase the amount to any appreciable extent, and therefore are compelled to discourage buying except for investors who are able to purchase outright. This policy prevents any material advance in values, and from the outlook it will be followed for some time to come, or until money becomes easier. The largest dealings on the local board yesterday were in United States Steel. The common closed at 40, the highest point of the day, and a net gain of 1⅛. The preferred advanced to 89¼, at which the final sale was made, a net gain of 1⅜. Crucible common advanced ¾ and the preferred ½, closing firm at the rally. There was not much doing in the coal stocks and prices were steady and unchanged. Westinghouse Electric was strong, rising to 106, an advance over the preceding day of 1½. There were no transactions in Window Glass common, and the preferred remained unchanged at 91. At the close Fire Proofing preferred sold off to 39⅜, a loss of ½ for the day.

Bank and trust company shares were comparatively neglected, only four issues being traded in. American Trust sold unchanged at 125, but closed ½ higher at 125½ bid. Pennsylvania Trust was 5 per cent higher at 295, and Real Estate Trust sold at 306, an advance of 3 per cent. There were no transactions in Colonial Trust, but the stock closed higher at 610 bid, 615 asked.

There was little more doing in bonds, the sales reaching $15,000, but the only change of note was an advance to 120 for Bessemer Railroad consolidated 5s, and a decline to 88⅝ for Pittsburgh, McKeesport & Connellsville 5s. River Coal 5s were unchanged at 113, and Brewing 5s sold at 112.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

The transactions on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday aggregated 2,556 shares stock, $15,000 bonds and 7 15-20 rights. Sales:

10 a. m. to 10:30 a. m.

Shares.			
5	U. S. Stl. com	39½	
5	Crucible pfd.	85½	
80	do	85¾	
3	do	86	
20	Electric 2ds	106	
100	do	106	

10:30 a. m. to 12:30 p. m.

10	Electric 2ds	106	
100	do	105½	
25	do	106	
10	Crucible pfd.	85¾	
6-12	do	85¾	
5-20	do	85⅝	
20	P. Coal com.	29½	
20	Amer. Trust	125	
50	U. S. Stl. com	39¾	
30	do	39⅞	

12:30 p. m. to 2 p. m.

10	W. Glass pfd.	91	
20	Crucible com.	21⅜	
100	Brewing pfd.	47½	
10-15	do	47¾	
100	Riv. Coal pfd	40¼	

2 p. m. to 3 p. m.

54	F. Proof. pfd.	39¾	
10	do	39¾	
50	do	39½	
150	do	39¾	
5	F. Proof. com	29⅜	
4	do	29	
150	U. S. Stl. pfd	89⅜	
25-100	do	89¾	
250	do	89¼	
25	U. S. Stl. com	40	

Bonds.

16-20	M. Wat. rts	41	
10-20, 12-20, 5-20, 16-20, 15-20			
13-20	do	41⅛	
10-20	do	41¼	
15-20	do	41⅝	
10-20	do	41¾	
15-20	do	41⅞	
7-20	do	41	
13-20, 15-20	do	41⅛	
10-20	do	41	

*Ex-dividend.

Summary.

Shares.		High.	Low.	Last Sale.	Ch'ge.
10	Brewing	31½	31½	31½	+⅛
210	Do pfd.	48	47⅞	47⅞	+⅛
140	Crucible Steel	21¾	21¼	21¾	+⅛
240	Do pfd.	90	89¼	89¼	+1⅜
9	F. Proofing	29½	29	29	
264	Do pfd.	39¾	39¾	39¾	−½
18	Monon. Water	41	40	40	−1
220	Pgh. Coal	29½	28¾	29¼	+⅛
156	Do pfd.	100	91¼	189¾	0
100	Riv. Coal pfd	40¼	40¼	40¼	−⅜
120	U. S. Steel	40	*39⅞	40	+1⅛
625	Do pfd.	89½	89¼	89¼	+1⅜
160	Wabash pfd.	47¼	46¾	47¼	+1⅜
20	West A'barker	*179	178	178	0
260	W. Elec. 2ds	106	105½	106	+1½
90	W. Glass pfd.	91	91	91	0
70	Amer. Trust	125	125	125	0
10	M. & M.N.B.	135	135	135	0
10	Penna. Trust	295	295	295	+5
25	R. E. Trust	308	308	308	+3

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BONDS.

$6000	Brewing 6s	112	112	112	−⅛
2000	P., B. & L. E. 5s	120	120	120	+½
2000	P., McK. & C. 5s	98½	98½	98½	−⅛
5000	Riv. Coal 6s	115	115	115	0

$15000

RIGHTS.

7 15-20	Mon. Water	41½	41	41	0

*Five shares or less. †Ex-dividend 1¾ per cent.

FEATURES OF THE DAY

IN PITTSBURGH.

Bank exchanges increased $500,000.

United States Steel closed 1⅛ higher at 40.

United States Steel preferred closed 1⅜ higher at 89¼.

Fireproofing preferred closed ½ lower at 39⅜.

Crucible Steel preferred closed ½ higher at 85¾.

Pennsylvania Trust 5 higher at 295; Real Estate Trust 3 higher at 308.

Colonial Trust closed at 610 bid, an advance of 3.

IN WALL STREET.

Total sales for the day, 821,800 shares.

All the leaders take an advance on belief that end of mine strike is close.

Reading scores loss of fraction on realization sales.

Sales of Pennsylvania were 38,200 at a loss of ½ point.

Call loans touch 12 per cent, but rate drops before close.

Heaviest dealing is in highest priced stocks.

Closing Bids and Offers.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Pgh. Bks.			Ally. Bks.		
Bd. of Pub.	....	129	Ally. Trust.	153½	....
Diamo'd N.	....	450	Bk. of S. S.	80	....
Fourth Nat.	....	165	D.S.F. & T.	200	....
Fifth Ave.	65	....	Insurance.		
Federal Nat.	144	146	Alleghany.	....	65
Germ. Nat.	....	260	Hum. Gas.		
Keystone	389	400	P.N.G. & P.	25½	....
M. & M. N.	134½	....	Wheeling	78	85
Met. Nat.	170	187	M. L. & H.	....	90
Mon. Nat.	....	290	Mining.		
N.B. of W.P.	196	....	Luster	....	14½
Peop. Nat.	....	470	Railroads.		
Second Nat.	....	580	W. Penn.	32	....
State Bk.	73	....	Electric.		
Third Nat.	....	200	West. Ist. pf.	105	....
U. S. Nat.	....	150	Do Ass'g.	100	106¾
W. S. & D.	....	115	Bridges.		
Pgh Trust			Ewalt, 43d St		65
Am. Trust	152½	127½	N. Side pfd.	17	....
F. T. & T.	600	675	Suspension	....	50
Guar. T. & T.	140	....	Misc.		
Penna. Tr.	292	295	Crue. Steel.	21⅝	21¾
Pgh. Trust.	....	800	Do pfd.	85¾	86
R. E. Trust	306½	308	Marsden	4¾	5
Colonial Tr.	610	615	Mfg. Water.	40	43½
Com'wlth	....	248	N. F. Prod.	23½	30
U. Real. T.	....	130	Phila. Co.	47¼	47¾
			U. S. & S.	....	94½
			U. S. Glass.	....	84½

BONDS.

Misc.					
P., McK. & C. 5s	....	90			

UNLISTED SECURITIES.

STOCKS.			STOCKS.		
Misc.			Pgh. Coal	29	29⅞
A.W. Glass	59½	59½	*Do pfd.	89½	....
Do pfd.	90½	91	U. S. Steel	39⅜	39½
M. R. C. & C. Co.	11⅝	12	Do pfd.	89¼	89¾
Do pfd.	40	40¼	BONDS.		
P., B. & L. E.	32½	35½	Misc.		
P., B. & L.	....	120	M. R. C. & C. 6s	....	113
P. Brew.	31½	31½	P., B. & L. E. 5s	....	120
Do pfd.	47¾	48	P. Brew. 6rs	....	112

*Ex-dividend.

NOTES AND COMMENT.

Sharon Steel was quoted at 190 asked.

The Rock Island statement for August shows an increase in net of $458,208.

United States Steel stocks closed at practically the high point, both here and in the east.

The directors of Grand Rapids & Indiana Railroad have declared a quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent, payable October 25.

The declining tendency in sterling exchange was offset by the Bank of England raising its selling price of gold, thus changing the importing point.

The strength in Amalgamated Copper, which was quite a feature of the late dealings, was on a rumor that the dividend due this month would be increased.

The directors of Milwaukee Electric Railway and Light Company have declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent on the preferred, payable November 1.

The Pennsylvania Steel Company has declared a dividend of 3½ per cent on the preferred stock, payable November 1 to stockholders of record October 15.

Keystone bank was quoted at 389 bid, 400 asked. The officers of the institution yesterday received a continuous throng of their friends who were inspecting the new building.

Wall street yesterday revived the rumor of a consolidation of the airbrake companies, but in view of the official denial at the recent Westinghouse annual meeting, Pittsburgh took no stock in the rumor.

More than 71,000 shares Reading changed hands yesterday. The dealings were very active around 69, and this as well as the other hard coal stocks did not hold the early gain as well as some of the grain-carrying roads.

According to street gossip, the Crucible Steel statement today will show about $4,000,000 profits for the past year, compared with $5,400,438 last year. It is said that $1,000,000 will be charged off for depreciation, compared with $400,438 charged off a year ago.

It speaks well for the strength with which local securities are held that there has been so little stress liquidation during the money market in Pittsburgh is as tight as it has been for more than a year, there has been calling of loans and a marking up of rates to 6 per cent, but broken have been able to take care of their customers.

There was a little better demand in the local market yesterday for bonds, and some investment buying of stocks. One effect of the settlement of the coal strike will be to produce a better feeling, and local syndicates and institutions which have been saving money against an emergency will now be disposed to loosen their grip on the same.

The basis for the recent strength in Manufacturers Light and Heat was disclosed yesterday when the directors declared a regular quarterly dividend of 2 per cent and an extra dividend of 1½ per cent, payable October 20. Last July the company declared a quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent and an extra dividend of one-half of 1 per cent.

The Allegheny Valley Railroad Company's comparison of earnings and expenses for the month of August, 1902, and for eight months ending August 31, 1902, with same periods of 1901, are as follows: Month of August, 1902; Gross earnings, increase, $27,347, expenses increased $30,256; net earnings, decreased $8,909. Eight months ending August 31, 1902; Gross earnings, increased $212,966; expenses, increased $287,737; net earnings, decreased $75,371.

Preston, Watt & Schoyer were buyers of Electric from Hall. The latter was a buyer of Fire Proofing preferred from Mahan. Stevenson and Campbell were the largest sellers of Crucible Steel, followed in order by Baker, Co. and McElroy & Boyle. Robinson Bros. were sellers of Crucible Steel common to Masten & Co. Sproul & Co. were sellers of Window Glass preferred to Co. and Moorhead and Lawrence & Co. continued to be the principal buyers of American Trust.

Secretary Shaw discontinued the purchase of government bonds on March 5 last, because he found that the high market price of bonds was tempting banks to withdraw circulation and sell the bonds to the government. He adopted the policy of increasing the amount of government deposits with the banks. During the last fiscal year the government received $56,000,000 bonds, its available cash balance at the present time is $219,000,000, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve, and if it could get bonds on reasonable terms it could invest $75,000,000 more in bonds in this way and still retain a comfortable balance.

During the anthracite coal strike Pittsburgh has been shipping coke to the seaboard to relieve the fuel famine, the coke being used for domestic purposes. It has been also shipping all the coke it could to Canada, but could handle. Yesterday one of these shippers received word from the east to curtail shipments of coke, but to continue shipments of coal. This order is construed as meaning that the east is confident of an early resumption of anthracite coal mining, the supply of which will be sufficient to meet pressing demands for which coke was substituted, but that the supply will not be large enough to meet the demand for steam-users, and shipments of soft coal to the latter will probably continue for some weeks to come.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Public Trust Company held at its office, 256 Fourth avenue, yesterday afternoon, the capital stock of the company was increased to $300,000 instead of $250,000, as was first contemplated. The following permanent officers and directors were elected: John R. Cavanagh, president; Hon. Thomas J. Ford, vice president; John day Burke, secretary and treasurer; M. Y. Robertson, assistant treasurer. Board of directors: Hon. W. T. Marshall, speaker of the house of representatives; Hon. E. S. Bland, president Ellwood City National bank; Hon. Thomas J. Ford, director Farmers and Mechanics' bank, Sharpsburg; J. M. Shannon, president Gold Standard bank, Martins Ferry; Robert Pollock, president Second National bank, Clarion Pa.; Peter F. McCool, general manager Standard Steel Car Works, Butler, Pa.; James E. Hughes, oil operator, Pittsburgh; John R. Cavanagh, president. James Francis Burke, Esq., was elected solicitor.

THE MONEY MARKET.

The local money market continues firm at 6 per cent on all new loans. Clearing house comparisons:

	Exchanges.	Balances.
Tuesday	$6,948,116 58	$ 883,653 22
Last week	7,957,729 19	1,002,890 24
Last year	6,444,466 47	864,734 91

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—Exchanges, $300,187,208; balances, $11,589,815.

BOSTON, Oct. 14.—Exchanges, $25,456,194; balances, $1,570,565; call loans, 6½@7 per cent; time loans, 6@7 per cent.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 14.—Clearings, $22,196,149; balances, $2,044,544; money, 6 per cent.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 14.—Clearings, $4,161,100; balances, $551,462; money, 6 per cent.

CHICAGO, Oct. 14.—Clearings, $28,797,394; balances, $1,067,672; posted exchange, $4 85¼@4 87.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 14.—Clearings, $8,742,488; balances, $1,074,572; money steady at 5@6 per cent; New York exchange, par.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 14.—Clearings, $2,481,150; money, 6@6½ per cent; New York exchange, par.

Foreign Quotations.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—Money, 1½@2 per cent; discount for short bills is 3⅝@3¾ per cent; three months' bills is 3¼@3⅜ per cent. Gold premiums: Buenos Ayres, 128.10; Madrid, 31.05; Lisbon, 26.50. Gold amounting to £150,000 sovereigns was withdrawn from the Bank of England today for shipment to Egypt and for shipment to Malta £20,000 was withdrawn today.

PARIS, Oct. 14.—Three per cent rentes, 100 francs 45 centimes for the account. Exchange of London, 25 francs 14 centimes for checks. Spanish 4s, 88.45.

BERLIN, Oct. 14.—Exchange on London, 20 marks 46½ pfgs; discount rates, short bills, 2½ per cent; three months' bills, 2¾ per cent.

The Treasury and the Banks.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—(Special.)—In redemption of checks drawn by depositors of gold at the Seattle assay office, today's official records show that the sub-treasury paid out yesterday $50,514. Total thus paid since Friday, $78,590, against $72,696 for the same period a week ago; total payment by government to New York banks for the day, $3,740,000; payment by banks to government, $2,850,000; balance on the day's transactions, $896,000; paid by government to banks. Total net payments by government to banks since Friday, $1,924,000, against $486,000, paid by banks to government for the corresponding period a week ago.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, $219,648,876; gold, $31,995,412; silver, $9,239,648; United States notes, $5,968,525; treasury notes of 1890, $88,862; national bank notes, $13,639,633; total receipts this day, $1,186,260; total receipts this month, $22,805,988; total receipts this year, $169,295,854; total expenditures this day, $2,960,000; total expenditures this month, $20,690,000; total expenditures this year, $158,171,976; deposits in national banks, $141,780,276.

Call Loans Still Firm.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—Money on call firm at 5@12 per cent; closing bid and asked, 5@7 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 6 per cent; sterling exchange weak, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 85.50 for demand and at $4 82.50@4 82.62½ for 60 days' bills; posted rates, $4 83½ and $4 86½; commercial bills, $4 81.75@4 82.25; bar silver, 50½c; Mexican dollars, 40¼c; government bonds easier; state bonds inactive; railroad bonds firm.

Turpentine and Rosin.

SAVANNAH, GA., Oct. 14.—Turpentine firm at 51¾c. Rosin firm. Quote: A, B, C, D, $1 35; E, $1 40; F, $1 45; G, $1 50; H, $1 75; I, $2; K, $2 50; M, $3; N, $3 50; W G, $3 75; W W, $4 10.

NEW YORK PRICES.

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples savings bank building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges and Chicago board of trade.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open	High	Low	Close
74200	A., T. & S. F.	87	88⅝	86½	88⅛
6700	Do preferred	100	100⅛	99¾	99⅞
	Am. Cotton Oil	49	49½	48⅝	48½
	Do preferred	96	96	96	95½
10200	Am. Sug. Ref.	121¼	122⅜	120½	122
	Do preferred	118¾	118¾	118	118
1600	Am. Locomotive	29⅜	29⅝	29	29⅛
100	Do preferred	90	90	90	90
2500	Am. Car F'dry.	34½	34½	34½	34½
400	Do preferred	90	90⅜	90	90⅜
	American Can				11
	Do preferred				48⅜
28700	Amal. Copper	64	66	63¼	65¾
600	Ans. Cop. Min.	99½	101	99½	100
1100	Am. Smelt & Ref.	45½	45½	44½	45½
100	Do preferred	94	94	94	94
	American Ice	9½	9⅝	9½	9⅝
17200	Balto. & Ohio	105¼	105¾	103⅝	104⅜
	Do preferred	94	94	94	93
8000	Brook. Rap. Tran.	42	42¾	42	42
17500	Canadian Pacific	133	134	132¾	133½
2400	Chi. Great West.	29⅜	29⅜	29	29⅜
2100	Consol. Gas	214½	216⅜	214½	216½
1200	C., C., C. & St. L.	107⅜	108	107⅜	108
5700	Ches. & Ohio	43½	43½	48⅝	49½
500	Chi. & Alton	35½	35½	35¼	35
200	Do preferred	72½	72½	72	72
1500	Chi. & Northwn.	250½	250½	248	250
8500	Col. Fuel & Iron.	84½	84½	83¼	83⅝
200	Col. Southern	31	31	30¾	30½
	Do 1st pfd.				70
1000	Do 2d pfd.	45¾	45½	45	44⅞
1600	Del., Lack. & W.	263½	263½	260	260
4100	Del. & Hudson	171	171	168¾	170
26800	Erie	39	39⅝	38⅝	38⅝
2100	Do 1st pfd.	77⅞	78	77¼	77¼
1000	Do 2d pfd.	52⅜	53	52	52½
32400	General Electric	178½	181	178½	180
10300	Illinois Central	147	147	144⅜	146½
600	Iowa Central	44¾	44¾	44	44¾
300	Lake Erie & W.	76⅝	76⅝	75½	76
600	Internat. Paper	19¾	20	19¼	19½
500	Do preferred	71¾	72	71¾	72
400	Internat. Power	72	72	72	
	Iron & W. com.				57
500	Do preferred	120	120	120	120
5500	Louis. & Nash.	137⅜	137⅝	135½	135
18100	Manhattan	133¾	134	132⅜	133½
58500	Missouri Pacific	107¾	108¾	106¾	108
1200	M., K. & T. pfd.	60½	60½	59	59⅝
2900	Metropolitan	137½	138	137	137¾
700	Mexican Central	25⅜	26	25⅛	25⅞
600	National Biscuit	47¾	48¼	47¾	48
	Do preferred	93	93	93	91
100	National Biscuit				45¾
	Do preferred				99
900	N. Y. Central	153⅝	154	152¾	153⅞
100	N. J. Central	171	171	171	
9900	N. Y., O. & W.	34¼	34⅝	33½	33⅞
16000	Norfolk & West.	73	73¾	72¼	73⅜
	Do preferred				80
700	North Am. Co.	122	122	121	121
	Omaha				155
3000	P. G. L. & C. C.	102¼	102⅜	101	102⅛
	Pacific Mail				45¾
	Pullman				225
2900	Pressed S. Car.	61⅜	61¾	60	60½
400	Do preferred	91½	91½	90½	90½
38200	Penna. R. R.	101¼	102¾	100½	102
	P., C., C. & St. L	95	95	94⅝	93
	Do preferred				110
	Railway Springs	35	35½	34¾	35⅛
	Do preferred	88	88	88	87
71600	Reading	69¾	69⅝	68¾	68⅜
4800	Do 1st pfd.	85½	86	85	85½
500	Do 2nd pfd.	75½	76½	75½	76
600	Rock Island	193	194	193	193
2700	Republic Iron	21¼	21⅝	20⅜	21
800	Do preferred	77¾	77¾	77½	77½
1300	St. L. & S. F.	71⅝	74	71⅝	73⅜
	Do 1st pfd.				80
200	Do 2nd pfd.	73½	73½	72½	72½
73800	Southern Pacific	70¾	71¾	70¾	70¾
16500	Southern Ry.	36⅞	37¼	36⅜	37¼
1100	Do preferred	95	95⅞	95	95½
23800	St. Paul	184⅞	186¼	184	185⅝
200	Do preferred				194
700	St. P., M. & M'n	315	315	314	307½
2100	Do preferred	64¾	64¾	62⅜	63⅝
3800	Tenn. Coal & I.	63½	63⅝	62⅜	63½
	Texas & Pacific	42½	43	41¾	42½
900	T., St. L. & W.	27	28	27	28
1500	Do preferred	41½	42¾	41	42¾
17900	U. S. Steel	38⅞	40	39⅝	39⅞
12300	Do preferred	89	89¼	88¾	89
68300	Union Pacific	104	104⅝	103¼	104¼
1500	Do preferred	90¾	90¾	90	90
16100	U. S. Leather	14¾	14¾	14	14⅜
1600	Do preferred	74¾	74¾	73¾	73¾
2500	Wabash	32⅝	33	32⅜	32⅝
6500	Do preferred	47½	47⅝	46⅜	47⅝
2900	W. U. Tele.	91⅝	91½	90¾	90⅜
500	W. & L. E.	27½	27½	27	26½
	Do 1st pfd.				59
100	Do 2nd pfd.	37	37	37	38
1000	Wisconsin Cent.	26¾	26⅞	26½	26½
1100	Do preferred	59	59½	59	59¼
	U. S. Cast Ir.	15¾	15¾	15¾	15¾
	Do preferred	54¾	54¾	54½	54
	Kanawha & Mich				49
1800	Hocking Valley	90	91½	89½	91½
200	Do preferred	90	90	90	90
	Corn Products	31⅝	32	31½	31¼
	Do preferred				82¾

Supplementary New York Stocks.
(By private wire to The Gazette.)

Sales.	STOCKS.	High.	Low.	Close.
400	American Bicycle	1¼	1¼	1¼
100	American Express	240	240	240
100	Brooklyn U. Gas	229½	229½	229½
2100	Chicago Ter. Trans. pfd	38½	36¾	38½
1800	Denver & Rio Grande	44⅛	42⅞	44⅛

NEW YORK BONDS CLOSING.

U. S. ref 2s reg.	106½	O. & N. unif 4s	101
Do coupon	106½	Mexican Cent. 4s	79
U. S. 3s reg.	107¾	Do 1st inc.	27¾
Do coupon	107¾	Do 2d inc.	20¾
U. S. new 4s reg.	137	M. K. & T. 4s	99
Do coupon	137¼	Do 2s	81½
U. S. old 4s reg.	110½	N. Y. Cent. 3½s	101⅝
Do coupon	111¾	Nor. & W. gen 6s	107
U. S. 5s reg.	105½	N. J. C. gen 5s	135
Do coupon	105½	North Pac. 4s	105¼
Atchison gen 4s	103¼	Do 2s	73¼
Brook. Rap. Tran.	82	N. & W. con. 4s	85¾
B. & O. 4s	100½	Reading gen. 4s	97
B. & O. 3½s	95⅜	St. L. I. M. con. 5s	113
Do conv 4s	103½	St. L. & S. F. 4s	103
Canada S. 4s	107⅜	St. L. & S. W. 1s	98⅜
Central Ga. 5s	108	*Do 2ds	88
Do 1st inc.	78½	*S. A. & A. P. 4s	87
C. & O. 4½s	105⅝	South. Pac. 4s	103¼
C. & A. 3½s	79½	South. Ry. 5s	118¼
C. B. Q. new 4s	95¾	Texas & Pac. 1s	21¾
St. Paul gen 4s	114	T. St. L. & W. 4s	78
C. & W. cons 7s	134	Union Pacific 4s	104
C., R. I. & P. 4s	108	Do conv 4s	108½
C. C. C. & St. L. gen 4s	100	Wabash 1sts	118¾
Chicago Term. 4s	87	Do 2s	106½
Col. Ind. & Louis.	80¼	South. Ry. M. & O.	97½
D. & R. G. 4s	100¾	West Shore 4s	113
Erie prior lien 4s	97½	*W. & L. E. 4s	92
Do gen 4s	85⅞	Wis. Cent. 4s	91
F. W. & Den. C. 1s	73	Ore. Nav. 4s	96¼
*Hock. Val. 4½s	108½		

*Offered.

New York Curb Stocks.

(Reported by Henry Sproul & Co.)

American Can	11	North'n Securities	109¼
Do preferred	48⅜	N. Y. E. V. Tra.	12
Am. Ele. R. R.	⅝	Otis Elevator	40
Bay State Gas	1½	Do preferred	98
Brit. Col. Copper	6¼	R. R. Powder pfd.	104½
Electric Boat	23	Seaboard A. L.	28½
Do preferred	35	Do preferred	46½
Electric Vehicle	4½	Standard Oil	648
Do preferred	9	Tenn. Copper	16¾
Man. Transit	5⅝	Union Copper	2⅜
Greene Con. Cop.	24¼	United Copper	29½
Internat. Salt	31	White Knob Cop.	15
N. Ams. Gas 8s	160½		

Philadelphia Closing Bids.

Penna. Railroad	80¼	Tidewater Steel	6
Phila. Traction	98	Cambria Steel	27⅝
Union Traction	47	Elec. Co. of Am.	9⅝
Elec. & Peo. 4s	98½	American Rys.	52½
Phila. Natl. Gas	4	Alkali	2
Cons. Trac. J.	80	Consols	2
Cons. Superior	22	Phila. Co.	47
Storage	84	Railways General	5
Do preferred	84	Lehigh Valley	34
Marsden	5	Superior pfd.	77
Phila. Electric	8¾

OPTIMISM COMES IN WALL STREET

Belief in Coming End of Coal Strike Starts Heavy Buying of Leaders.

MONEY LOST SIGHT OF

Sudden Run up to 12 Per Cent Awakens Speculators, but Later Cut to 5 Brings Activity—Close Generally Firm.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, Oct. 14.—The over-night developments in the coal strike situation aroused a cheerful sentiment in Wall street today and the opinion was expressed that the matters at issue were in a fair way of adjustment. The monetary situation was momentarily lost sight of in the optimistic feeling that prevailed at the opening, and stocks were eagerly bought at advances of from 1 to 4 points over yesterday's final prices. Recent speculative favorites in which the pool liquidation had been heaviest were most in demand, especially the coalers and transcontinental stocks. Individual orders for blocks of from 1,000 to 4,000 shares were taken at advancing prices and trading was in enormous volume throughout. The readiness with which prices responded to the good news combined with the appearance of London as a heavy buyer encouraged the bull interests to renewed efforts in driving the short interests to cover. The inquiry embraced all classes of stocks, but the largest advances were centered in the highest priced class. Some comment was aroused over the fact that the active coalers did not advance proportionately more than other stocks, although the demand for them was heavier than at other points. Early prices showed such a handsome profit to the traders who bought early yesterday in the semi-demoralized market that they commenced to unload quickly. Commission houses were well represented in the early demand, but the volume of realizing sales soon exhausted their orders and prices relapsed all around.

Cut to Fraction.

Before noon the opening substantial advances had been pretty generally reduced to a fraction and even canceled in some important stocks. The downward movement of prices was accelerated by a 12 per cent call money rate, which recalled to mind the fact that the monetary situation had to be reckoned with in an effort to create a bull market. Dealings then subsided into merely nominal proportions for a long time, but there was a steadily increasing undercurrent of strength which culminated in a violent buying movement again the closing hour, which carried the entire market to the best prices of the day. Prominent leaders, such as St. Paul, the Pacifics, Reading, Pennsylvania, Atchison, Sugar and Amalgamated Copper, were bought heavily, and there was a large absorption of various minor stocks. The rally in prices was stimulated by a break in money rates from 12 per cent, the highest mark in the forenoon, to 5 per cent.

Coal Strike Helps.

The action of the coal operators in agreeing to submit the questions at issue with the miners to a board of arbitration to be named by President Roosevelt, was freely discussed during the day, and all news bearing on the subject was absorbed with the keenest interest. London purchases of stocks were considerable, and this, combined with more liberal offerings of commercial bills, caused a rather sharp decline in sterling exchange rates. News of the day included the September statement of foreign trade statistics, which showed an excess of exports over imports of $27,702,277, which was a reduction of about $12,000,000 from the corresponding figures of last year. This indication of the lessened demand abroad for some of our staple products explains in a measure the recent firmness of the foreign exchange market, despite the prevailing high money rates. Nearly $1,000,000 gold was withdrawn from the Bank of England today for exportation to Egypt, and it is announced that the price of American eagles was advanced ¼ pence and bar gold ⅜ pence.

Shifting Gold Demand.

This will tend, in the event of any indication of gold imports from here, to shift the demand to continental markets. The sub-treasury statement shows that the banks have gained nearly $2,000,000 from that institution since Friday, and it is believed that the position of the banks has been materially strengthened by the early liquidation in stocks yesterday. It is expected that the resumption of the mining operations will necessitate the forwarding of considerable money to the anthracite regions. In the final dealings the stock market commenced to feel the weight of the traders' profit-taking sales, but the demand was sufficiently large to prevent much impression on prices, and the closing was generally firm.

The bond market today was strengthened with the course of stocks and was fairly active. Total sales, par value, $3,620,000. United States new 4s declined ¼ per cent on the last call.

Movements in Trade.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—The stock exchange will be closed at 1 p. m. Saturdays on and after October 8.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Erie railroad was held today. The directors were re-elected.

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 14.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Wisconsin Central Railway Company the old directors were re-elected. The directors will meet in New York in a few days to elect officers.

PORTLAND, ME., Oct. 14.—The members of the American Association of general passenger and ticket agents arrived here today by special train, to hold their annual convention. J. R. Wood of the Pennsylvania railroad, presided at the opening session.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 14.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton railway today the outgoing board of directors was re-elected for one year. The annual report showed an increase of 5 per cent in passenger earnings and of 10 per cent in freight.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 14.—Holders of 12,808 shares of stock were represented at the annual stockholders meeting of the Western Maryland railroad today. The stockholders approved the plan of the directors for the issue of first and general mortgage 4 per cent bonds to the amounts of bonds of $50,000,000 and $10,000,000 respectively, and the increase of the authorized capital stock to an amount equal to the authorized issue bonds.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—The directors of the Commercial Cable Company at a meeting today elected Clarence H. Mackay president of the company and George G. Ward chairman of the board of directors. The executive committee, Mr. Mackay was also elected president and A. B. Chandler continues as chairman of the board of directors of the Postal Telegraph-Cable Company and Pacific Telegraph-Cable Company.

TOLEDO, O., Oct. 14.—The annual meeting of the stockholders and debenture bondholders of the Wabash Railroad Company was held here today. The following directors were elected: O. D. Ashley, George J. Gould, John T. Terry, Sheldon C. Reynolds, Thomas H. Hubbard and James Hazen Hyde. The debenture bondholders elected the following men to represent them on the board: Edwin Gould, Russell Sage, W. S. Pierce, Edgar T. Welles, Henry K. McPharge and J. Lawrence A. Cooper. At a subsequent meeting of both directors and stockholders elected Joseph Ramsey, Jr., as the 13th member of the board.

Drygoods Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—The drygoods market today shows a firm tone in all departments, but no change in the general character of business in progress.

CORN TAKES LEAD IN GRAIN DEALS

Opening Is Weak, but Active Buying by Chicago Longs Brings Strength.

WHEAT TAKES A DROP

Indifferent Cables, Large Receipts and Favorable Weather Combined Against Bulls—Buying Causes Upturn—Oats Lower.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Chicago, Oct. 14.—Interest on the board of trade once more centered in the corn pit today, and after a weak opening the close was strong. December up ⅜c. December wheat closed ⅛@¼c lower, December oats were a shade lower, while January provisions closed unchanged to 2½c lower.

Indifferent cables, large receipts and favorable weather all combined to create an easier tone to wheat at the opening. A strong demand for May developed, principally from a leading long, and with light offerings the market soon recovered its early weakness. The southwest also was credited with good buying. The sharp upturn in corn was a strong bull factor. December opened a shade to ⅛@¼c lower at 70⅝@70¾c. After declining to 70⅝ there was a rebound to 71¼, but another decline occurred and the close was ⅛@¼c lower at 70¾c.

Receipts Are Large.

Primary receipts were 1,005,000 bushels, compared with 1,050,000 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis and Duluth reported receipts of 994 cars, which with local receipts of 202 cars, six of contract grade, made total receipts for the three points 1,196 cars against 1,485 cars last week and 1,044 cars a year ago.

Corn was active again today and after the opening weakness the buying became quite animated with a local long taking on a large line. The early depressing was due to the improved weather conditions and at the decline there was heavy selling by a prominent trader who is supposed to be on the long side of the market. General buying, however, soon caused a rally, and the early loss was more than regained. Late in the session scattered selling with but a light demand caused a slight decline, but the close was strong.

Opens Lower, Closes Higher.

December opened ¼@¼c to ⅝@¾c lower at 47⅛@47⅜c, advanced to 48⅜c, and closed ⅝c higher at 48⅛@48⅝c. Local receipts were 433 cars, with 80 of contract grade.

Oats opened weak in sympathy with corn, but on covering by shorts and buying by outsiders the market rallied. There was a good trade throughout the session and the close was steady. December closed a shade lower at 31@31⅛c after selling between 30⅝@31⅝c. Local receipts were 293 cars.

Provisions were firm on a moderate volume of trading. Covering of shorts in October lard was an early feature. Light receipts of hogs with higher prices for the same was a strengthening factor. The close was steady, except on lard, which was higher. January pork closed unchanged at $15 67½, lard unchanged at $8 97½ and ribs 2½c lower at $8 27½.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 110 cars; corn, 220 cars; oats, 175 cars; hogs, 22,000 head.

The leading futures as corrected by John D. Armstrong & Co., 209 Sixth street, members of Chicago board of trade:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yest'r-day's Close.
WHEAT					
No. 2.					
Oct	70	70	69½	69⅝	69⅞
Dec	70½	71¼	70⅝	70⅝	71
May	72⅜	72½	71⅝	72⅛	72⅝
CORN.					
No. 2.					
Oct	57⅜	59	57½	58⅝	57½
Dec	47⅝	48⅜	47⅛	48⅜	48⅝
May	42⅛	42⅝	42	42½	42⅝
OATS.					
No. 2.					
Oct	30¼	30⅞	30¼	30⅞	30⅝
Dec	31	31⅝	30⅝	31⅝	31⅝
May	31⅝	32¼	31½	32	31⅝
MESS					
PORK					
Oct	16 90	16 90	16 90	16 90	16 90
Jan	15 62½	15 75	15 55	15 67½	15 67½
May	14 82½	14 90	14 77½	14 85	14 80
LARD.					
Oct	10 50	10 75	10 50	10 72½	10 45
Jan	8 95	9 00	8 95	8 97½	8 97½
May	8 37½	8 40	8 35	8 40	8 40
SHORT RIBS.					
Oct	11 50	11 50	11 50	11 50	11 32½
Jan	8 40	8 32½	8 27½	8 27½	8 32½

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour steady. No. 2 spring wheat, 71@73c; No. 3 spring, 69@70c; No. 2 red, 69½@70c; No. 3, 68½c; No. 2 yellow, 60½c. No. 2 oats, 27⅝c; No. 3 white, 31½@33c. No. 2 rye, 48⅝c. Fair to choice malting barley, 53@56c. No. 1 flaxseed, $1 06. No. 1 northwestern, $1 05. Prime mess pork, per bbl, $16 95@17 00; short ribs sides (loose), $11 10@11 30; dry salted shoulders (boxed), $9 25@9 50; short clear sides (boxed), $11 60@11 87½. Whisky, basis of high wines, $1 32. Clover, contract grade, $11 00@11 15.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	20,700	6,200
Wheat, bushels	155,300	52,400
Corn, bushels	314,500	31,100
Oats, bushels	420,700	175,200
Rye, bushels	7,200	.....
Barley, bushels	177,700	9,800

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—Flour—Receipts, 31,013 bbls; exports, 4,304 bbls; market continued firm and generally held above buyers' views; winter straights, $3 40@3 45; Minnesota patent, $3 80@4 00. Rye flour steady. Buckwheat flour firm, $2 65@2 75, spot and to arrive. Cornmeal firm.

Wheat—Receipts, 38,025 bu; exports, 138,873 bu; spot steady; No. 2 red, 76¾@76¾c elevator; No. 2 red, 76¾@76¾c f o b afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 81¾c f o b afloat; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, 81¾@83¾c f o b afloat. Options opened easier in response to weather reports and a drop in corn, but recovered, holding very firm all day on scant offerings, steady cables, a strong cash situation all over the country and bull sentiment generally. Just at the close it dropped sharply under realizing and left off unchanged. May, 75¾@76¾c, closed 76¾c. December, 75 15-16@76 9-16c, closed 76⅞c.

Corn—Receipts, 19,950 bu; exports, 99,240 bu; spot firm. No. 2, 68@68⅝c elevator and 69½c f o b afloat; No. 2 yellow, 70½c; No. 2 white, 70½c. Options opened weaker, following a bearish weather map, but turned strong, with wheat. The upturn brought in heavy covering of shorts and prices shot up over a cent, but sagged back finally, and left off barely steady on the close, with wheat. Last prices were ¼@⅝c net higher. January closed 50¾c; May, 54¼@54⅝c, closed 54⅝c. December closed 67⅝@67¾c, closed 67⅝c. December, 64¼@65¾c, closed 65¾c. Oats—Receipts, 120,000 bushels; exports, 15 bu; spot firm; No. 2, 35c; standard white, 34½c; No. 2 white, 36c. No. 3 white, 35½c; track white, 36@41c. Options unsettled but generally firmer. December, 35½@36c, closed 36c.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 14.—Flour dull, unchanged; receipts, 15,359 bbls; exports, 7,500 bbls. Wheat firmer; spot, October, 73@73¼c; December, 74¼@74⅝c; steamer No. 2 red, 70½@70¾c; receipts, 7,505; no exports; southern by sample, 65@73c; southern on grade, 70@74c. Corn firmer; spot or old, 47@48c; year, 45@45¼c; year, 48½@48¾c. January, 47¼@47¼c; receipts, 222 bu; exports none; southern white corn, 60@60c; southern yellow corn, 70@72c. Oats firm; No. 2 white, 35½@36c; No. 2 mixed, 32½@33c; receipts, 8,185 bu; exports, none.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 14.—Close—Wheat, No. 2 red cash, 69¼c; December, 69¾@69½c; May, 71@71¼c. No. 2 hard, 71½@72c. Corn, No. 2 cash, 37c; December, 39½c; May, 39¼@39¾c bid. Oats, No. 2 cash, 30c; December, 28½c asked; May, 29⅝c; No. 2 white, 34½c.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., Oct. 14.—Wheat easier; close, No. 1 northern, 73¼c; No. 2 northern, 69@73c. Corn steady; No. 3, 39½c. Rye dull; No. 1, 51c. Barley steadier; No. 2, 66c; sample, 38@56c. Corn, December, 48¼c.

DULUTH, MINN., Oct. 14.—Close—Wheat, cash, No. 1 hard, 72c; No. 1 northern, 70¼c; No. 2 northern, 68½c; December, 68¾c; May, 70¾c; November, 70c; Macaroni, No. 1, 65c; No. 2, 65c. Oats, December, 29½c.

TOLEDO, Oct. 14.—Wheat dull, easier; cash, 74½c; December, 76c; May, 76c. Corn moderately active, strong; December, 46c; May, 42¾c. Oats dull, steady; December, 30c; May, 32¼c.

FOURTH AVENUE PROPERTY SOLD

Nos. 111-115 Are Purchased for the Sum of $64,000.

GOOD FRONTAGE SALE

Oakland Transfer of $12,500—Big Deal Pending In Penn Avenue. Signboard Danger Brought to Mind.

Two more properties in lower Fourth avenue have changed hands for a consideration of about $64,000. The larger one belonged to Samuel Shaner, is located at the northwest corner of Fourth avenue and Decatur street, measures 40x60 feet and was purchased for $44,000. The other property adjoins this on the west and is a lot 20x60 feet. It was bought from Catherine Snyder for about $20,000. Both lots are improved with three-story brick buildings occupied as dwellings and shops. The properties are known as Nos. 111-115 Fourth avenue and adjoin the Anton Lutz property, which was bought in the early summer by Robert C. Hall. The purchaser in this case could not be learned, but it is understood the final papers have been passed in the sale of both properties. The rate of sale is about $1,000 a front foot, which is about the price paid for other properties in that section lately.

Squirrel Hill Deal of $30,000.

William A. Heyl, William A. Hoeveler and Martin L. Heyl have purchased from A. Bruce Coleman two properties in the Twenty-second ward for $30,000. One of them is an irregular-shaped plot, having a frontage of 143 feet in Wilkins avenue, 101 feet in Wightman street and extending through 198 feet to Bellerock street, where it has a frontage of 274 feet. The other lot, which is improved with two brick houses, is situated at the southwest corner of Wilkins avenue and Bellerock street. This lot measures 90x266 feet. The purchase was made for an investment and it is said that frontage is to be improved in the spring with a number of good houses.

A rumor was current on the South Side yesterday that the Jones & Laughlin Steel Company was negotiating for the Mammoth skating rink property in Carson street, just above Twenty-second street. The story was denied by a member of the firm. He also said that the statement that the company had secured control of all the Carson street frontage on the river side between Twenty-second and Thirty-fourth streets was absurd.

Through the agency of M. J. Ehrenfeld Mrs. Amelia Wood has sold to W. H. H. Gass the property at No. 210 Craig street, Fourteenth ward, for $12,500. The lot, which is 50x123 feet, is situated on the east side of Craig street, near Bayard street, and has erected on it a 10-room brick house.

Probable Sale in Penn Avenue.

It is currently reported that the property at No. 817 Penn avenue is about to change hands for a price approximating $95,000. It is now owned by Mrs. Orne and Mrs. Howland, and the reputed purchaser is a furniture company which wants the property as a business site. The lot has a frontage of 22.5 feet in the north side of Penn avenue near Ninth street, and a depth of 180 feet. The price has been held up to $100,000, but a late offer somewhat under this figure is said to have been considered favorably and will probably result in a sale at an early date.

Dangerous Sign Boards.

The falling of a sign the other day, at a downtown corner, which resulted in the injury of several people, brings to notice the fact that a large number of property owners along the main business streets are very lax in their care of the heavy signboards that project out over their doors. Many of these weigh several hundred pounds and are secured by iron grips or braces, which are exposed to the action of the weather at all times. When such supports are fastened to crumbling brick the danger is doubly great, for a strong wind, such as blew Monday, is apt to wrench a large signboard from its place and drop it on the heads of passersby. "An ordinance ought to be passed at once," said Capt. J. A. A. Brown, superintendent of the bureau of building inspection, yesterday, "making it compulsory for every property owner to have his signboards inspected every six months. There are dozens of boards up on our downtown streets that are likely to fall any windy day and cause loss of life. As the matter stands now, the city has no power to enforce a recommendation on this subject. With an ordinance it could fine careless owners and make them subject to heavy damages if an accident occurred."

Railroad Still Buying.

The Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston Railroad Company has bought from Margaret Lowther a plot of ground 100 feet square, situated at the southwest corner of Carson and South Seventh streets, Twenty-ninth ward, for $11,700.

The Pittsburgh Brewing Company has purchased from Sophia C. Maul a property, 25x120 feet, on the north side of Carson street, near South Thirty-fourth street, Twenty-fourth ward, for $8,500. The lot is improved.

St. Clair street: Mark McDonald sold to Frank I. Ellis an improved lot, 31x108 feet, at the northwest corner of St. Clair and Delays street, Nineteenth ward, for $8,150.

The Real Estate Trust Company sold to the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie Railroad Company for the Glassport Land Company a lot in Monongahela avenue, near Third street, Glassport, for an approach to the new freight station being built in Glassport, for $1,000.

Herron avenue: P. J. Edwards sold for F. Moore to Charles Kennie a two-story frame house, lot 24x80 feet, at No. 624 Herron avenue, for $5,000.

Colonia Lots Sold.

The Union Realty Company sold for the Allaire Land Company the following lots: To James Kirley, lots Nos. 603, and 604 for $300; to John Nichol, lot No. 609, for $100; to John Green, lot No. 606, for $150; to Mrs. Ingraham, lot No. 607, for $125. The above lots are situate near the Colonia steel works.

Lafayette street: Silas P. Sadler sold to William G. Evans seven brick houses, on a lot 90x100 feet, on the west side of Lafayette street, and three brick houses, on a lot 48x100 feet, on the east side of Shappeu street, Twenty-third ward, for $9,800.

Lang avenue: William J. Wilson sold to Mary Powers an improved lot, 34x100 feet, on the southwest side of Lang avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $2,000.

Webster avenue: John Pfrenzinger sold to David J. Martin an improved lot, 20x100 feet, on the south side of Webster avenue, near Chauncey street, Thirteenth ward, for $2,000.

Madison street: George W. Depp sold to Alois Gruber an improved lot, 24x100 feet, on the south side of Madison street, Thirteenth ward, for $2,000.

East End Sale.

Olivant street: John N. H. Brown sold to Alois Wirth an improved lot, 89x152 feet, in Olivant street, Twenty-first ward, for $2,500.

Fifty-seventh street: Lizzie George sold to Charles R. Lockard a lot, 40x235 feet, on the west side of Fifty-seventh street, Eighteenth ward, for $1,400.

John street: J. G. Mullen sold to John P. Saunders a lot, 40x70 feet, on the east side of John street, Nineteenth ward, for $1,100.

Montclair street: Ada C. Hamilton sold to Edward D. Gardiner a lot, 25x90 feet, on the south side of Montclair street, near Frank street, Twenty-third ward, for $800.

Lafayette street: John W. Cook sold to J. F. Willis an improved lot, 16x66 feet, on the east side of Lafayette street, Twenty-third ward, for $1,800.

South street: Patrick McArdle sold to Albert G. Rouiler a lot, 80x110 feet, in South street, Twenty-second ward, for $1,100.

Lincoln avenue: Alexander McCutcheon sold to Daniel Lloyd an improved lot, 36.5x130 feet, in Lincoln avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $1,800.

Fourth street: Samuel R. Hudson sold to Arthur Hudson a lot, 25x114 feet, in Fourth street, near Florence street, Thirty-eighth ward, for $900.

Hazelwood: Harry E. Perkins sold to Robert M. Erskine an undivided one-half interest in five lots in the Joseph Nixon plan, in the Twenty-third ward, for $750.

Permits for Houses.

The Pittsburgh bureau of building inspection issued the following permits yesterday: To J. N. Engle, for a two-story frame dwelling in Webster avenue, Thirteenth ward, to cost $1,500; to W. H. Whitfield, for three brick dwellings in Bryson street, near Murray avenue, Twenty-second ward, to cost $16,500; to Philip Cotter, for a brick dwelling at Howard avenue and Monticello street, Twenty-first ward, to cost $4,500; to Christ Winnele, for a frame dwelling in Dennett street, near Bryant street, Eighteenth ward, for $1,000.

The following building permits were issued in Allegheny yesterday: To Lennox & McWilliams, for six two-story frame dwellings in Burgess's lands, Ninth ward, to cost all told, $13,200; to B. P. Welsch, for a brick veneer two-story and attic dwelling, in Omaha street, near Perrysville avenue, Fifteenth ward, to cost $6,500.

Four Houses Change Hands.

Through the agency of W. J. Beckfield, Mrs. Rose Emich has sold two brick houses in Perrysville avenue, Allegheny, for $8,000. The houses contain nine rooms each and stand on a lot 40x150 feet. The purchase was made for an investment. The same broker also sold for Mrs. Emich a two-story brick house on lot 20x116 feet, in Arch street, Allegheny, with a four-room brick house in the rear, for $5,500.

J. W. Sherrer has sold for Mildred C. Fahnestock to John Hunecke an improved property, 40x100 feet, in the west side of Amber street, Twentieth ward, for $8,000.

J. Walter Hay sold through the Real Estate Trust Company of Pittsburgh the following lots in his University Park plan, Tenth ward, Allegheny: No. 80 McIntyre avenue, $500; No. 28 Elwood avenue, $700; No. 202 Barnes avenue, $300; No. 266 Parker avenue, $350; No. 202 Suffolk street, $175; No. 258 Parker avenue, $200; No. 79 McIntyre avenue, $300. No. 182 Suffolk street, $225; No. 254 Suffolk street, $150; No. 265 Parker avenue, $350.

Transfers Recorded.

Harris Geo W to H L Krauser, Sept 10, '02, 15th wd, Pgh, 20x100, Penn ave...$ 3,000
Laudan Max to Isaac Sachs, Sept 25, '02, 9th wd, Pgh, 16x100, Penn ave. 16,000
Aiken, Henry J, L Donaldson, Oct 7, '02, 20th wd, Pgh, lot, Rebecca st. 18,500
McCarty E L to Christ Schmidt, Aug 27, '02, 9th wd, McK, 20x100, Abraham st. 1,400
Rotunnue Michael to Joh H Cohen, Sept 30, '02, 11th wd, Pgh, 16x57, Erin st. 2,200
Bender Henry J, L Donaldson, Oct 25, '02, 10th wd, Pgh, 20x100, 45th st. 2,000
Aspinwall Land Co to Jas T Kirkland, Aug 26, '02, Aspinwall, 90x30, 9th st... 1,125
Hartley Josephine to Penna Gas Co, Apr 23, '02, 25th wd, Ally, 50x120, Rohrkaste Frederick G to Otto H Rohrkaste, Sept 10, '02, 10th wd, Ally, 40 x100, Grant st. 1,600
Seibel Carl, Albert Triesch, May 14, '02, Scott twp, lot. 1,600
Tarentum Land Co to Anton Klein, Oct 6, '02, Collier twp, 40x120, Ellsworth ave. 900
Pouchot Rosine to J M Friedman, Sept 23, '02, 14th wd, Pgh, 22x120, Fifth ave. 6,500
Tate Thomas to H Ritter, Oct 10, '02, 5th wd, Alleg, 22x60, Spring alley. 3,500
Mansel Wm to Emma M. Crunmey, Sept 23, '02, 10th wd, Pgh, 40x125, Pearl st 2,800
Duff R P to Sami B Waughter, Sept 25, '02, 12th wd, Pgh, 12x152, Olive st. 500
Madliger Otto to Catherine Klein, Oct 3, '02, 12th wd, Ally, 40x120, Rising Main ave. 2,225
Cain Wm H to Jane A Clements, Sept 20, '02, 21st wd, Pgh, 90x135, Bennett st. 1,200
Eisenroeth Daniel to Martin Erb, Oct 1, '02, Reserve twp, 9½ acres. 7,500
Sellers Mel'man Ida to Frank Hamlinger, Sept 10, '02, 21st wd, Pgh, 26x100, Lowell st. 3,800
Haslinger Frank to Melvina J Sellers, Sept 10, '02, 21st wd, Pgh, 22x100, Park ave. 1,800
Brown D Harvard to Jno Miller, Sept 18, '02, 13th wd, Pgh, 22x75, Morgan st
Grinberg Hyman to Frank Goldstein, Sept 25, '02, 11th wd, Pgh, 20x100, Overhill st. 4,500
Murphy John to Edgar C Flack, Sept 10, '02, Sheraden, 25x100, Zephyr ave. 4,500
Heinz Frederick to Jno S Conk, July 7, '02, Sharpsburg, 40x32, Middle st. 1,700
Harris H J to Thos H Taylor, Oct 3, '02, 12th wd, Pgh, 20x100, Fair ave. 4,500
Austen Robert E to B Jeremiah, Sept 2, '02, Etna, lot, Bridge st. 3,200
B Pgh Imp Co to Ulysses S Eels, Sept 30, '02, E Pgh, 25x100, Bessemer ave. 1,020
Lashley Mary E to Johnston R Lashley, Sept 5, '02, Avalon, 75x135, California ave. 4,000
Peaire Andrew F to Elizabeth Bauer, Oct 10, '02, Elizabeth, 120x120, Sixth ave. 2,750
Coleman Chas A to E Walter Hunton, Oct 8, '02, Wkbg, 20x122, South ave. 6,500
Watson L & Imp Co to Chas F Schwab, Sept 25, '02, 15th wd, Ally, 50x120, Watson boulevard 650
Stoner David F to A S Braznell, Oct 8, '02, Wkbg, 52x120, Biddle st. 4,000
Peoples Savings Bank to Margaret Hueston, Feb 15, '02, Chartiers twp, 3 acres 5,000

Mortgages Recorded.

Henly Jno to Life Protective I & L A, Oct 6, '02 ..... $ 400
Wills Jas F to Real Est & Imp Co, Balto, Oct 14, '02 1,000
Engle Mary to Phila Sav Fund Ins, Oct 1, '02 1,000
Weir Ida to Peruan Co Fire Ins, Oct 9, '02 22,000
Gervin Albert to J Topley, Jr, Oct 7, '02, for three brick dwellings in Bryson street, near Murray avenue, Twenty-second ward, to cost $16,500; to Philip Cotter, for a brick dwelling at Howard avenue and Monticello street, Twenty-first ward, to cost $4,500; to Christ Winnele, for a frame dwelling in Dennett street, near Bryant street, Eighteenth ward, for $1,000. 750
*Manemann Mary L to M Kurtz, May 1, '02 1,000
Hunter Harry H to S L Riddle, Oct 6, '02, Collier twp, 40x120, Ellsworth ave. 2,200
*Ross Walter A to G Miller, Oct 10, '02 800
*Roberts Thos F to R B Coyle, Aug 28, '02 1,000
Zimmerman Julius to Bennett & L A, Oct 6, '02 3,100
Holden Abbie B to A D Wilson, Oct 7, '02 3,000
McFarland Thos to J W Koenig, Oct 14, '02 6,000
Evans Morris W to A McFarland, Jr, Oct 14, '02 900
*Starr Richard D to J Light, Aug 2, '02 600
*Ruffing Peter to A M Fleckenstein, Aug 7, '02 1,650
France Wm H to M W Wise, Oct 7, '02 570
Moffatt Jno M to Jno Ferguson, Oct 14, '02 4,000
Atkinson E L to J W Sawert, Oct 14, '02 4,000
*Hunter Geo to J L Deveny, Sept 29, '02 2,200
Graham Jas T to T J Ford, Oct 3, '02 1,000
*Schoeller Julia A to D Blair, Oct 11, '02 600
*Wessel Arthur to J W Stevenson, Oct 14, '02 8,350
Stratton Chris F to J Stratton, Oct 14, '02 1,000
Townsend Mary J to H O Price, Oct 14, '02 3,000
*Saunders J P to J Stephenson, et al, Nov 7, '02 600
*Carter Michael J to M Forsythe, July 1, '02 600
Wilson Rebecca to Metropolitan B & L A, Oct 13, '02 150
Birum Jno to German B & L A, Sept 25, '02 1,000
Neale Alfred to Duquesne Heights B & L A, Oct 14, '02 2,600
Poorbaugh Jno M to Penna S F & L A, Oct 14, '02 2,000
Roger Louis to Orphans' B & L A, Oct 9, '02 1,000
Thoma Jno to Lower St Clair B & L A, Oct 13, '02 500
McIntyre Adolph to Progressive Mut S F & L A, Oct 13, '02 1,000
Hoak Annie to Sewickley Valley Tr Co, May 3, '02 2,250
Miller Margt to Dollar Savings Bank, Oct 1, '02 500
Crawford Andw to Fidelity T & Tr Co, Oct 14, '02 1,800
Ritter Frank to 12th wd Grocery & S, Oct 13, '02 1,000

*Purchase money.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—Butter—Receipts, 7,549 tubs; steady; state dairy, 19@20c; extra creamery, 24c; creamery, common to choice, 19@23½c. Cheese—Receipts, 12,487 pkgs; firm but quiet; new state, full cream, fancy small colored and white, 12c; large colored and white, 12c. Eggs—Receipts, 6,707 pkgs; irregular; state and Pennsylvania, average best, 22@24c; western candied, 21½@23c; refrigerated, 19@20½c.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 14.—Butter firm, unchanged; fancy imitation, 19@20c; fancy creamery, 22½@23c; fancy ladle, 19@19c; fancy roll, 19@17c; good roll, 15@16c; store packed, 15@16c. Eggs firm, unchanged; fresh, 23c. Cheese firm, unchanged; large, 12@12¾c; medium, 12¾@12¾c; small, 12¾@12¾c.

CHICAGO, Oct. 14.—Butter firm; creameries, 16¼@23½c; dairies, 15@20¼c. Eggs firm; loss off, cases returned, 20½@21c. Cheese steady, 10½@11½c.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 14.—Butter firm, ½@1c higher; extra western creamery, 24½c; do nearby prints, 26c. Eggs firm; fresh nearby, 24c, loss off; western, 23@23½c, loss off; do southwestern, 22@22½c, loss off; do southern, 21@22c, loss off. Cheese firm and higher; New York full creams, prime small, 12½c; do fair to good small, 11½@12¼c; do prime large, 12c; do fair to good large, 11¼@11¾c.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—Coffee—Futures opened steady, with prices unchanged to 5 points higher, improving on light European buying and covering demand, but showing a disposition to sag on local demand has been satisfied. Before the close prices were back to yesterday's final figure, with late trade limited to scattered room sales. The statistical position remains bearish; the public manifest no desire to speculate in coffee at the moment; business in the spot article is dull. The closing and advance in Rio, Zephyr was quiet, with prices not unchanged. Total sales were 9,750 bags, including, December, 5.25c; January, 5.30c; March, 5.45c; May, 5.60c; August, 5.80c.

Sugar—Raw, nominal; fair refining, 3c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3¼c. Molasses sugar, 2¾c; refined steady.

STEADY MARKETS FOR FOOD PRODUCTS

Flour Was Very Firm With All Concessions Withdrawn. Potatoes Slightly Stronger.

Sharper demand and limited receipts have operated in favor of advanced quotations for millfeed, and middlings and bran have responded to the call. Aside from these there is no change in figures quoted for offerings in the hay and grain market. Rye is running freely; it showed some evidence of weakness a day or two ago, which has now disappeared. Timothy hay is steady and eagerly sought. Shelled corn is holding at the decline of Monday, and oat is unchanged. Some new oar has been offered at 55 cents for November delivery.

Flour is firm; the range of prices being the same as quoted yesterday, with sellers making no concessions. Wheat is steady, an advance having been checked in the Chicago market by advices from the northwest to the effect that the weather was clearing and receipts were larger. Coffee has not yet gone any higher, and the situation is unchanged, dealers occupying a waiting attitude and preparing for whatever may come. Sugar is quiet and unchanged.

Navy beans are just as they were, with $2 65 about the top of the local range of quotations. Red kidney beans are no longer quotable, as they are hard to get and sell for whatever price the seller can obtain. Some very high prices are heard of as governing sales. Oils have advanced.

Potato Quotations Firmer.

Fruits and produce were very quiet yesterday, but the market was steady and without change. Potatoes are firmer, having advanced 5 cents a bushel at points of shipment. This can be done, however, without affecting prices here, as recent shelling were not followed in the local market, where the situation has been strong with reductions unnecessary. Peaches are holding their own fairly well, being still plentiful enough for all request. Grapes show no change in prices and features are scarce. There is no special activity in any line. Tomatoes sell at last week's figures, and corn is steady at Monday's advance. Plums are still here, and grapes are offering freely. Tropical fruits are not fluctuating much, but California peaches are a trifle lower, and Jamaica oranges are easier. Malaga grapes are now offering.

Butter is firm at the advance of Monday. Cheese is very firm and dealers are predicting prices which will go as high as consumers will allow. All cheese manufactured has been used for immediate consumption during the summer and fall, with the exception of a very small proportion, which has gone into storage and which stocks will be light. Factories will close next month, and no more cheese will be made until next May. In the meantime there will be a scarcity, which will send quotations skyward. Eggs are not in as heavy demand as ruled last week, and prices are easier, though nominally unchanged.

Hay, Grain and Feed.

Receipts bulletined: Pennsylvania lines, 24 cars hay, 12 cars oats, 2 cars beef, 2 cars corn, 1 car wheat, 7 cars rye; Baltimore & Ohio railroad, 4 cars hay, 2 cars corn; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, 4 cars hay; Pittsburgh & Western railroad, 2 cars hay, 2 cars oats; total receipts, 59 cars.

Following are the official quotations for hay, millfeed, corn, oats and straw, corrected by the superintendent of the Pittsburgh grain exchange:

Straw—Oat, $7 00@7 50; wheat, $7 00@7 50; rye, $8 50@9 00.

Hay—No. 1 timothy, $16 00@16 50; No. 2, $14 50@15 50; No. 1 mixed, $12 00@13 00; No. 1 clover, $11 50@12 50; prairie, $9 00@10 00; packing, $7 00@10 00; loose from wagon, $16 50@17 50.

Rye—No. 2 Michigan, 58@59c.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, shelled, 64@66c; high mixed, 61@63c; No. 2 mixed, 60@62c; No. 2 yellow ear, 75@76c; high mixed, 73@74c; No. 2 mixed, 69@70c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 36½@37c; extra No. 3, 35½@36c; regular No. 3, 34@34½c.

Millfeed—White middlings, per ton, No. 2, $18 00@19 00; brown, $17 00@18 00; bran, $17 00@17 50.

Groceries.

Flour—Jobbers' prices: Fancy spring patents, $4 10@4 15; fancy winter patents, $3 75@3 85; straight winter, $3 65@3 70; bakers' spring, $3 60@3 65; rye, $3 45@3 60; graham, $4 00@4 10;

BUCK SANDERS IS CONVICTED

First Verdict of First Degree Murder This Term of Court.

VICTIM SHOT IN A FIGHT

Foreman Overcome With Emotion While Delivering Verdict. Minor Cases in Both Branches of Criminal Court.

The first verdict of first degree murder returned during the present term of criminal court was rendered yesterday, when the jury convicted "Buck" Sanders, a mulatto, of the murder of John Markoff, at Boreland station, June 15. While delivering the verdict George O. Cunningham of Sewickley, foreman of the jury, was almost overcome with emotion. When he arose to announce the verdict his voice failed and for several moments he stood unable to speak. Finally, in a trembling voice and visibly affected, he rendered the verdict the jury had prepared. As he sat down, tears were on his cheeks.

The prisoner exhibited little concern and appeared to be indifferent.

Markoff was shot three times while attempting to quell a riot in his resort at Boreland station, by a number of negroes.

Mrs. Rosi Bergaman was acquittted of a charge of larceny preferred by Mrs. Annie Downs, who alleged she lost her pocketbook containing $10 which Mrs. Bergaman found and refused to deliver. Attorney A. C. Stein represented the defendant.

Martha P. Schrankle was acquitted of the embezzlement of $40, and costs placed on Arnold Luscher.

The following cases were nolle prossed: William J. Porter, embezzlement of $114 14 from John M. Clark, costs paid by the defendant; T. Charles Stevenson, larceny, costs paid by the defendant; J. K. Neegley, false pretense, nolle prosse entered because the prosecutor, J. J. Toner, would not sustain the charges in the bill.

NO HASTE REQUIRED.

Supreme Court Tells Lawyers That the New Rules Will Not Affect Them.

There were more applications for admission to the supreme court yesterday. This rush caused Justice Mitchell to remark, "An impression seems to have gone out that this court contemplates rules which will compel lawyers to take examinations before admission to this court. Th rules contemplated will not bar lawyers eligible to admission upon motion, and there is no reason for this undue haste."

The court heard the following appeals: Armstrong county—Pittsburgh Sheet Manufacturing Company, appellant, against Joseph G. Beale and others, an action on contract; Elizabeth Graham against H. A. Heidrick, guardian, appellant, an action in partition; John Stewart against Phobe Linton and others, appellants, an action on a mortgage; Hannah A. Lewis and others, appellants, against Elwine Linton and others, an action on a foreign attachment.

Westmoreland county—John C. Albright and others, appellants, against the Byers-Allen Lumber Company, an action in ejectment; Mary C. Steel, appellant, against L. H. Walter and others, an action on a mortgage; appeal of Sarah A. Harrold, defendant, a lunacy proceeding; appeal of James C. Ferguson and others in a partition proceeding.

DID NOT INFRINGE.

National Glass Company Wins Patent Suit in Court of Appeals.

A mandate was received in the United States circuit court yesterday from the United States circuit court of appeals, reversing the court here in the case of Bryce Bros. against the National Glass Company and George Beatty.

The local court decided that the defendants had infringed a patent device for reheating and finishing glassware, which is used extensively in glass manufactures. An order restraining the defendants from using the device had been made, but on receiving the mandate Judge Joseph Buffington vacated the order and dismissed the matter from the local courts.

Isabella Kelly of Braddock was adjudged a bankrupt in the United States district court. The court reappointed H. Russell Myers of Washington county, Thomas C. Hare of Blair county, and John Q. Van Swearingen of Fayette county referees in bankruptcy in their respective counties.

Frank Moore of Pittsburgh, doing business as the E. Moore Company, filed a petition in bankruptcy, giving his liabilities as $7,700 and assets $68.

SAYS FATHER WAS CRUEL.

Witnesses Testify to H. M. Yuke's Treatment of His Family.

The commissioner in the divorce suit of Rosa Yuke against Harry W. Yuke, Jr., yesterday filed his report.

The minor children of the couple told how their father cursed them and their mother, and how he threw articles at them when angry. It was also testified that Yuke beat his wife, threatened to shoot her and chased her out of the house with a razor.

Today's Trial List.

Criminal court—Commonwealth vs. "Ike" Harris, for murder; Stain Awefaski, John Reagan, Annie Burns, Andrew Kirk, Tony Blume, Zachor Sekol, Joseph Ellbacher, S. Morgenstein, H. H. Brinker, Patrick Rane et al, Henry Diller et al, Charles T. Hetzel, Steve Lelacs, Belle Marcus, W. C. O'Reilly, Frank J. Rossiter, Samuel Toyeta, James Martin (2), Mr. Shearon, William Jones, Sebation Scherr, Andrew Decker (2), Charles Lily, Auto Sulbosio, Van Tomacis, Jacob Goldberg, Maggie Gallagher, Minnie Myers, Sadie McGraley (2), Kate Urben (2).

Common pleas No. 1—Rice vs. Consolidated Traction Company; McArdle vs. Rush, Morozwicz vs. Murray et al; United Traction Company vs. Hammond et al; Stewart vs. O'Callaghan et al; Guentner vs. Consolidated Traction Company; Chesarown vs. Erbeck Bros.

Common pleas No. 2—Hess vs. Leader Publishing Company; Crouse vs. Beck & Co.; Olliffe vs. Southern Traction Company; Beattie vs. Hayes; Wade vs. Gangulech; Ford vs. West et al; McDonald vs. Rinehart; commonwealth ex rel vs. Derbaum.

Common pleas No. 3—Henry vs. city of Pittsburgh; Hall, Jr., vs. borough of Wilkinsburg; Bentys, Sr., vs. Peel & Co.; Nowalk et al vs. Pittsburgh & West End Passenger Railway Company; Moeser vs. Lowery; Imperial Building and Loan association vs. Penter; Adima Peyton et al vs. Nicola Bros. & Co.; Rasp et al vs. city of Pittsburgh; Sheldon vs. Coen; Depiola vs. Koebewics; Peterman vs. Geyer.

New Suits Filed.

New Suits were entered as follows:

Plaintiff.	Defendant.	Action.

COMMON PLEAS NO. 1.

Geo. Faulkner, admr.—Prudential Ins. Co. ..... Assp.
James McKay et al—Pgh. Trolley Pole Co. ..... Ap.

COMMON PLEAS NO. 2.

Waite Bros.—David Lowenstein et al Cap. tres.
Wm. M. Bell—E. T. Elliott et al Sci. fa mtge.
David Baker—Boro of Turtle Creek ..... Equity

COMMON PLEAS NO. 3.

Thomas & Co. et al—Casper Brewerman Rep.
Johanna Lewis et al—City of Pgh. ..... Ap.
Spear & Co.—W. H. Phillips et al ..... Rep.
A. M. Byers—Chas. H. Humbert Sci. fa. rev.
Mrs. Allie M. Lytle—Harry L. Greer ..... Tres.
J. B. Coen—Monon. Trust Co. ..... Assp.
Mrs. N. V. Yantz—W. Y. Parkinson et al ..... Sci. fa. rev.
Penna. Parlor Furniture Mfg. Co.—Keystone Credit Co. ..... Ap.

Legal Briefs.

Mary A. Rippey was awarded $800 damages from Reserve township for damages to property.

Habeas corpus proceedings were begun by Joseph A. Sloan, to obtain possession of his two minor children from Johanna Ballard and others.

Jacob Staab entered suit against the West Side Belt Railroad Company for $10,000 damages for obstruction of a road in Lower St. Clair township.

David Baker began equity proceedings against the borough of Tarentum and others to restrain the defendants from changing the grade of Ross street.

Register Edwards awarded an issue in the contest over the estate of P. A. Mullaney of Braddock. His entire estate, considered quite valuable, was bequeathed to his two sisters. The contestants are the decedent's children.

The following executions were issued yesterday: Harvey Kuhl vs. Paul Shallowski and Thomas W. Norowski, $1,371 80; Lizzie R. Wallace vs. Mary McCauley, $2,555 07; E. B. Edmundson vs. Edward J. Williams, $134 14.

Verdicts in favor of the city of Pittsburgh for special benefits for street improvements were rendered in common pleas court No. 3 yesterday as follows: John M. Bruce, $4,000; Jacob Mimmer, $125; Harry W. Golden, $75; John Howarth, $125; Joseph G. Lloyd, $150; J. J. Booth, $2,800. In the suit of Anna Hughes against the city, the plaintiff was awarded $375 damages.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought
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SOME OPINIONS ON ORDINANCES

Franchises Asked by Railroads Generally Viewed With Favor.

PROTECTION FOR CITY

A Fair Return Is Demanded for the Privileges Asked — Col. Logan Favors Line in Water Street to Connect with B. & O.

The railroad ordinances introduced in councils on Monday were the subject of discussion in business circles yesterday. The interest taken by property owners and business interests in Liberty avenue, Duquesne way and other streets affected was manifested in the number of persons who called at City hall to examine the plans of the proposed changes. Opinions were divided, but the majority seemed to be in favor of the scheme, provided the city is properly recompensed for the new franchises.

It is probable that the ordinances will be amended in several particulars, especially in regard to the payment of all damages by the railroad companies, if the popular sentiment is followed, as it seems to be generally conceded that the franchises asked are exceedingly valuable and that the municipality should receive a fair compensation for them. It is also pointed out that the proposition to fill in the Allegheny river and build tracks around the Exposition buildings will be encroaching beyond the harbor lines established by the United States government and will so narrow the channel at that point that it would entail great danger from floods. The government, represented here by Capt. W. L. Sibert, United States engineer corps, is at present doing everything to prevent any further narrowing of the rivers and it is doubtful if any project to fill in even the small amount desired by the railroad will be permitted.

Favors a Belt Line.

Col. A. J. Logan, president of the chamber of commerce, when asked yesterday for his views in regard to the proposed improvements, said:

"I am heartily in favor of any improvement that will benefit the city in a commercial way, and I believe that the elevated roads and the warehouses at the Point will be of the very greatest advantage in this respect. I also favor the continuation of the elevated tracks along Water street to connect with the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, so that a complete belt line could be established around the city which might possibly be used some day for passenger traffic.

"If the elevated tracks are brought down Duquesne way, they should be brought down close to the building line, for eventually it would bring about the erection of a great line of private warehouses, and the value of the property would be vastly increased for this purpose. The tracks should not be located north of the Exposition buildings, as the fill necessary would dangerously narrow the present channel, but should be continued on down Duquesne way. I should think that this would be an advantage to the exposition, as a passenger station could be located at the exposition. The city officials who have the power to act, however, should weigh the advantages to the city and the advantages to the railroads very carefully in the balance, and the party receiving the greatest advantage should be charged with that amount."

George H. Anderson, secretary of the chamber of commerce, said: "The ordinances appear to me, at first view, to be a movement in the direction of relieving the freight congestion which has so hampered Pittsburgh. In regard to the Wabash ordinance, I am in favor of encouraging in every way possible the introduction of new railroads and increased transportation facilities. I am strongly opposed, however, to any further advance upon the harbor lines established by the government."

Opposed to Elevated Tracks.

Thomas M. Rees of Thomas Rees & Sons, whose place of business is in Duquesne way, near Fourth street, and who is greatly interested in the protection of the rivers, said:

"I am opposed to the elevated roads in Duquesne way, but I would not oppose surface roads. The removal of the tracks from Liberty avenue would undoubtedly be of great public benefit and would throw open one of the best streets in the city. The plan to locate tracks north of the Exposition buildings will never receive the sanction of the government, I am sure. I am of the opinion that elevated roads will not bring about any advantage to the property owners in Duquesne way."

Thomas C. Jenkins, the wholesale grocer, whose immense warehouse is supplied with a switch from the tracks in Liberty avenue, and who is supposed to be damaged more than any other of the merchants in the downtown district in consequence of the removal of the tracks, is out of the city, but one of the firm stated that they were not particularly disturbed by the proposed changes.

"Of course, the switch is a great convenience to us," he said, "but it is not so important that we will make any opposition. We will continue to do business here in the same place and have no intention of building and removing elsewhere. If the elevated road is decided upon, it will be within a square of us, and possibly Duquesne way will be full of warehouses with facilities for loading and unloading at the second story, which would be almost as convenient for us as our present arrangements."

CAR DYNAMITED.

Trolley Strike at Mechanicsville, N. Y., Assumes Serious Aspect. Authorities Clash.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Oct. 14.—The motormen's strike on the Hudson Valley railroad is assuming a more threatening form. Dynamite was used in Saratoga Springs tonight and a riot is feared at Mechanicsville.

A trolley car passing the trolley station in South Broadway was partly wrecked by dynamite. The car windows were broken, the track torn up and the windows of a saloon shattered, but no one was injured.

Maj. Andrews of the third battalion, Second regiment, on strike duty at Mechanicsville, was today officially notified by Village President Finnigan of Mechanicsville that he had sworn in a large force of deputies and would arrest and lock up tonight every national guardsman doing patrol duty in Mechanicsville.

As the Second regiment is doing strike duty by orders from Gov. Odell, any attempt on the part of Mr. Finnigan to carry out his threat may lead to serious consequences.

VESTS NOT BULLET PROOF.

Timorous Coal Operators Have Been Buying Them from Priest Inventor—Failed on Test.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—(Special.)—After withstanding every other test, the so-called bullet-proof vest, invented and woven by the Rev. Casimer Zegien, a Polish Catholic priest of Chicago, was penetrated by several bullets from a 38-caliber military revolver at a public exhibition this afternoon in Brooklyn.

Before the tests were begun, C. W. Ryder, who represented the inventor, said Father Zegien was unable to be present, having received an order for 20 vests from the coal operators, who feared someone might try to assassinate them.

If the inventor had been inside his sample today when Effingham Wilson, the noted pistol shot, fired at it, members of the St. Stanislaus church would be mourning for their pastor.

BALLINGTON BOOTH AT HOME.

Declines to Say Whether He Will Meet His Father, the General.

MONT CLAIR, N. J., Oct. 14.—(Special.)—Commander and Mrs. Ballington Booth of the Volunteers of America returned home last night after a trip through the eastern states.

He has not met his father, Gen. Booth of the Salvation Army, since the general's arrival from England. When asked if he would meet his father before he sailed for England, he replied: "There is nothing new just now."

Threaten to Sue Railroad.

The Pittsburgh Fire Underwriters association will bring suit against the Pennsylvania railroad for blocking the street crossings at Homestead. At two fires in the borough last week it is alleged the fire companies were delayed by trains. C. W. Wynn, who lost his furniture in the Vondera building fire on Saturday, is also preparing to sue the railroad for damages.

MAYER'S DEATH IS STILL A MYSTERY

The Coroner's Inquest Yesterday Failed to Reveal How He Met His Fate.

The death of Albert Mayer, in Allegheny, is still a mystery. The coroner's inquest yesterday morning did not solve the puzzle. The jury rendered a verdict that he came to his end by an accident through falling. John Glenn, assistant superintendent of police, and Detective James Steele said, after they had investigated, that they were unable to determine whether Mayer was murdered or came to his end by an accident.

Coroner McGeary showed by three witnesses that they saw a man assaulted and knocked down at the place where Mayer was found, but they were unable to tell whether it was Mayer or someone else. The Allegheny police showed that Jesse Turner was knocked down by thugs. The evidence showed that Turner was assaulted in Robinson street.

Dr. Walter E. McCandless testified that Mayer's death could not have been caused by a fall. He said there were several bruises on his head in addition to the fracture on the back of the head. Dr. McCandless said that it was impossible for Mayer to have received those bruises by a fall.

Coroner McGeary said after the inquest that the case could be reopened at any time there was sufficient evidence to show that Mayer was killed. District Attorney Haymaker and County Detective Robinson say they believe that Mayer was murdered, and the case will be investigated by them.

The deputy coroners are positive that Mayer was murdered. They traced him from the foundry of the Westinghouse plant to a number of speakeasies and were told by three men that Mayer was the person they had seen assaulted. At the inquest these witnesses were uncertain of their observations on that morning.

Fortune in Police Station.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—A fortune of over $100,000 was found today in the desk of Police Captain J. J. Donahue in the station house, where he dropped dead last week. The discovery was a complete surprise, the captain having been thought to be worth about $75,000.

Senator Dillingham Re-Elected.

MONTPELIER, VT., Oct. 14.—The legislature today re-elected W. P. Dillingham United States senator.

A GOOD DEAL OF NONSENSE.

About "Blood Purifiers" and "Tonics."

Every drop of blood, every bone, nerve and tissue in the body, can be renewed in but one way, and that is, from wholesome food properly digested. There is no other way, and the idea that a medicine in itself can purify the blood or supply new tissues and strong nerves is ridiculous and on a par with the fol-de-rol that dyspepsia or indigestion is a germ disease, or that other fallacy that a weak stomach which refuses to digest food can be made to do so by irritating and inflaming the bowels by pills and cathartics.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets cure indigestion, sour stomach, gas and bloating after meals, because they furnish the digestive principles which weak stomachs lack, and unless the deficiency of pepsin and diastase is supplied it is useless to cure stomach trouble by the use of "tonics," "pills" and "cathartics" which have absolutely no digestive power, and their only effect is to give a temporary stimulation.

One grain of the active principle in Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will digest 3,000 grains of meat, eggs and similar foods, and experiments have shown that they will do this in a glass bottle at proper temperature, but of course are much more effective in the stomach.

There is probably no remedy so universally used as Stuart's Tablets, because it is not only the sick and ailing, but well people who use them at every meal to insure perfect digestion and assimilation of the food.

People who enjoy fair health take Stuart's Tablets as regularly as they take their meals, because they want to keep well. Prevention is better than cure, and Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets do both; they prevent indigestion and they remove it where it exists. The regular use of one or two of them after meals will demonstrate their merit and efficiency better than any other argument.

CAMPBELL'S

IF FIVE DOLLARS is what you want to pay for your next new Trimmed Hat, you'll find at "The People's Store," at this price more than fifty separate and distinct types—some of them counterparts of Paris hats which cost $30 to $50 to import—and every one a millinery masterpiece. This will give you variety.

The Best Things That Ever Came From Kalamazoo.

When those of us who are grown men now first heard of Kalamazoo we were small boys and Kalamazoo was a Michigan town with little else but a unique name as a basis for its fame.

Kalamazoo has a good many flourishing institutions now, and not the least among them is the great manufacturing plant of the famous Corset Company that makes the "F. C." and "American Beauty" Corsets.

In this respect it is Michigan vs. France—Kalamazoo vs. Paris. And most American women like the American-made corset the best.

Why? Because it not only possesses all the good points of every other good corset you have ever worn, seen or heard tell of, but in addition it is the closest cut to the form and imparts more successfully than any other that narrow abdominal effect, which all dressmakers insist upon as the ideal shape for the American woman.

We carry the "American Beauty" in three grades—$1.00, $1.50 and $2.00.

The Kalamazoo Corset Company have sent to Pittsburgh an expert to explain to our customers the good points of their corsets and how to wear them most successfully.

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The person who sends the most people to our Corset Counter between now and Christmas to ask about the "F. C." and "American Beauty" Corsets will get a $550 Knabe Piano to compensate her.

WHAT'S NEW?

BOG WOOD BEAD CHAINS—
Chains of big, black wooden beads, five feet long, which just now are suspended about the neck of every third woman one sees in the "swell" shopping sections in New York. We have them. Price 75c.

TEAK WOOD TOOTH POWDER—
Made in China of powdered teak wood and put up in boxes with firecracker labels. Will take off the tartar. Price 15c. We have it.

BEST $1.00 HAIR BRUSH IN PITTSBURGH—
Solid Mahogany back, with eleven rows of long, stiff, white bristles, guaranteed as good as you can get at any drug store for $1.50.

TABLE TENNIS—
"Ping Pong's" twin brother. A set of emery bats, regular English Halex balls, tape-bound net and extension table attachments, for $2.00.

NEW UMBRELLA ARRIVAL—
Best line of $2.00 Umbrellas for men we ever had. With steel rods, tight-rolling, fine piece-dyed taffeta covering, 28-inch size, with case and tassels, and your choice from a variety of silver-trimmed boxwood opera and polished horn handles.

CHILDREN'S VELVET COATS—
Three-quarter and full length, tailor-stitched in white silk, trimmed with Venise lace, beautified with briar stitching or with capes edged with white cord—pink, blue and white lining—pearl buttons. Our prices, $5.00, $6.50, $7.50 and $8.90.

SOME NEW BOOKS—
Any of them, cloth-bound, for $1.08. Donovon Pasha, by Gilbert Parker; Castle Craney Crow, by G. B. McCutcheon; Temporal Power, by Marie Corelli; Fortunes of Oliver Horn, by E. Hopkinson Smith; The Climax, by Chas. Felton Pidgen; A Speckled Bird, by Augusta Evans Wilson.

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"A FAIR FACE MAY PROVE A FOUL BARGAIN." MARRY A PLAIN GIRL IF SHE USES
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Opening Sale of Fur Trimmings

As Fur Trimmings will be exceedingly fashionable this fall and winter—more so than ever before—this opening Exhibit and Sale will attract considerable attention today. Here are some of the special inducements that will be offered:

Black Coney Fur Edging, at 10c yard.
White Lamb Fur, 1 in. wide, at 15c yard.

Imitation Mink—
A rich Brown Fur—very stylish—1 in. wide, at..... 25c Yd.
Imitation Ermine Fur, 1 in. wide, at 25c yard.
Black Astrakhan Fur, close curl, at 59c yard.

Drop Ornaments

Rank among the most fashionable of the new Novelties for trimming wraps, waists, skirts, etc. To get you acquainted with our immense showing, by far the largest in the town, we offer some truly remarkable values today at 10c, 15c, 25c and 48c each. These Drop Ornaments—and what beautiful and attractive garnitures they make—are made of Silk Cord, Taffeta Silk and Velvet—also Silk Crochet in over 50 styles, in sizes from 1 to 15 in. long. Some as high as $1.50 each. Come in and see what pretty ones you can get at

10c, 15c, 25c and 48c

"New Idea" Paper Patterns.

One of the Latest Patterns:

2952—CHILDS' DRESS. With or without lining. Sizes, 2, 4, 6 years.

Are the Best Patterns made. Why? Because they are the most perfect fitting. Because they're the easiest understood. Because they're the prettiest styles. Because the price for any style is only

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Watch the Papers

For announcement of Bankrupt Sale of the stock of the Patterson Dry Goods Co. (formerly Hugus & Hacke), purchased by us last week from the Receiver.

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Everything That's New & Fashionable in Dress Goods

Is here. Every new texture, from the soft, clinging weaves to the rough, shaggy effects that are so much in vogue just now. Verily, it's the grandest Dress Goods Show ever seen anywhere. And the prices are even more attractive than the goods themselves. Judge from these few examples:

French Waist Cloth—
The fabric now so much in vogue—150 pieces to make your selection from—in a complete line of the most fashionable shades—worth 35c, today at..... 19c yd

Special in Albatross—
That soft, clinging fabric which has found such great favor with fashionable women this season—in 29 different shades for street and evening wear—worth 65c, today at..... 39c yd

Over-Lined Plaids—
75 pieces of those stylish Over-Lined Plaids—remarkable collection of all the newest effects and combinations—in the most beautiful blending of colors—worth 50c, today at..... 29c yd

56-Inch Melton Skirting—
Splendid assortment of elegant 56-in. Melton Skirting—in oxford, medium grey, brown, blue and black—positively the regular $1.00 quality, today at only..... 59c yd

Swell Tailored Suitings—
For novelty and elegance those charming Knickerbocker and Flaked Cheviots have won first place. They come in all the most beautiful color combinations—special sale today of the regular $1.25 qualities, at only..... 89c yd

Marvelous New Trimmed Hats

Marvelous, because extremely Beautiful and Stylish, and yet Low in Price.

Splendid Trimmed Hats at..... $3.75

In all the shapes that are sure to find favor with women of fashion—made of all the new and stylish materials—in all the popular and attractive colorings and smart bright combinations, together with plenty of black. These becoming Hats are very tastefully trimmed with Silk Ribbons, Wings, Birds and Ornaments—all so much used this Fall. Come, see them and try them on. Choice for only $3.75.

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Hats that will please even the most particular and exacting woman—the most charming conceptions imaginable—Hats that will be found in every way superior to any offered anywhere for double the money—made of richest and finest imported materials—most artistically trimmed with the fashionable Ostrich Feathers, large Birds, Ornaments, etc.—and just think, only $7.98.

Misses' Large Soft Felt Hats—
Neatly stitched brim—trimmed with rosette and ornaments—in all the wanted shades—should be $2.00, at..... $1.39

Women's Ready-to-Wear Hats—
Made of soft Millinery Felt over French Buckram frame—hand sewed—trimmed in black and colors in most pleasing effects—made to sell for $2.75, at..... $1.98

Imported Long Nap Beaver Hats—
In black, brown, castor, navy and cardinal—Hats that would be cheap for $2.75, at..... $1.98

Women's Nobby Velveteen Hats—
Very stylishly made of extra fine quality Velveteen—in all the new and popular large shapes—would be considered a bargain for $1.00, at only..... 69c

Stylish Chenille Dotted Pompons—
Splendid assortment to choose from—in all colors—very new and fashionable—well worth 75c, at..... 49c

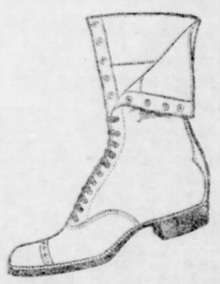
Large Tableful of Birds,
Feather Breasts, etc.—in the now so fashionable Black and White—the kind usually sold for 50c, at only..... 35c

Pittsburgh's Leading Shoe Store

Is under the roof of "The Big Store"—right on the first floor—containing nearly $100,000 worth of sound and solid Shoes—every pair right in style and right in price.

Extra Special for Today:

1,000 Pairs Women's High Cut Walking Shoes—
In imported English Enamel, Box Calf and Vici Kid—heavy welt extension soles—low and military heels—just the Shoes for present and winter wear—made to retail for $4.00, but, owing to a lucky purchase, we can offer them today at..... $2.50



600 Pairs Men's Sample Shoes

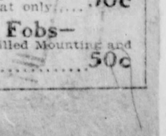
Made to Retail for $3.50, on sale today at..... $2.45

These shoes represent the sample line of one of the leading shoe manufacturers of Brockton, Mass. There will undoubtedly be a big demand for them today, and, as there are only 600 pairs in the lot they'll go quickly, so come early and make sure of getting your proper size. All the Shoes are HAND WELT SEWED. They come in best Box and Velour Calf, English Enamel and Patent Leather—light and heavy soles—made over the latest London and Boston lasts.

Our "Bostonian" Shoe for Boys, Youths and Little Gents.
Cannot be equaled anywhere at one-third more money. They are made of best wearing Wax Calf—heavy double soles—silk fitted—every pair guaranteed to wear well—all sizes—at only..... $1.25

Special Leather Goods Offers For Today Only:

Wrist Bags—
Women's Fine Seal, Giraffe and Suede Leather Wrist Bags with good calf lining—fancy, straight or curved Nickel and Gilt frames—6 in. size—special today at..... 50c



Chatelaine Bags—
In Real Seal or Walrus Leather—chamois lined with hand-sewed inside pocket—fancy oxidized or French Grey frame, with hook to match—large size—go at only..... $1.25

Drinking Cups—
Nickel Folding Drinking Cups with Solid Leather Case, at only..... 35c

Traveling Cases,
Consisting of Brush, Comb, Soap Box and Tooth Brush, in a fine Imitation Seal Case, at only $2.75

That Big Sale of Watches At $9.98 Instead of $12, $15 and $18

Was taken advantage of by so many men yesterday that we cannot guarantee to supply anyone after today. As stated in Sunday's papers, these Watches were purchased by us from one of New York's largest watch makers at a big price concession. The big saving we effected goes to you. Remember, these are Gold-Filled Thin Model Watches—size 16, open face and case guaranteed for 20 years—fitted with 15-Jewel Nickel Waltham Movement. $12, $15 and $18 are the regular prices, but while this lot lasts you can take your choice for only $9.98.

Bead Chains—
Made of Long Pearl, Matrix or Dull Black Beads—now all the craze—special today at..... 25c

Belt Pins—
Made of Silver, with large Gilt Initial covering the center—large size at only..... 50c

Silk Watch Fobs—
With Fancy Gold-Filled Mounting and Stone Charms—go at..... 50c